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IN MEMORIAM.

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SWANZY—In proud and enduring memory of my brother, Oswald Ross Swanzy, D.I., Royal Irish Constabulary, who gave his life, in Lisburn, Sunday, 22nd August, 19[illegible]

ALSO

To the splendid memory of all his gallant Comrades, Officers and Men, of the
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who died, as he did, in the service of their country and the faithful performance of their duty.

"O may I join the choir invisible
Of those immortal dead who live again
In minds made better by their presence; live
In pulses stirred to generosity,
In deeds of daring rectitude, in scorn,
For miserable aims that end with self."

WINTLE—In proud and loving memory of Captain Armar Lowry-Corry Wintle, M.C., 9th Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers (Ulster Division), son of the late Colonel Fitz-Hardinge Wintle, 87th Punjabis, and Mrs. Fitz-Hardinge Wintle, Carlton terrace, Malahide, County Dublin, who died of wounds received in action, August 22nd, 1917. "For King and country."

BIRTHS.

EARL—August 18, 1928, at 29 Upper Mount street, to Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Earl, a son.

GILL—August 15, 1928, at 89 Lower Baggot street, Dublin, to the wife of Frederick Gill, M.D., F.R.C.S.I., a son.

MOLONEY—August 15, 1928, at Mrs. Golding's Private Nursing Home, 18 St. Patrick's place, Cork, to Maude, wife of Gerald J. Moloney, "Ardeevin," St. Luke's Park, a son.

MARRIAGES.

BELL and GOOD—August 15, 1928, at the Parish Church, Greystones, by the Rev. Henry Justice, B.A., Rector of Longford (cousin of the bride), John, son of Dr. and Mrs. Bell, The Homestead, Maidenhead, and Gladys, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Good, The Moorings, Merrion road, Dublin, and The Shrubbery, Greystones, County Wicklow.

GRIFFITH and COAD—August 9, 1928, at Methodist Church, Waterford, by the Rev. W. Morris, M.A., Douglas Arthur, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Griffith, The Hermitage, Grange road, Barnes, London, to Evelyn, youngest daughter of the late Richard Coad and Mrs. Coad, Blenheim House, Waterford.

MORAN and PAYNE—August 1, 1928, at the Parish Church, Sandford, by the Rev. W. N. Harvey, B.D., Michael James, son of the late John Moran, B.A., B.E., and Mrs. Moran, Horsham, Sussex, to Constance E., youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Payne, 25 Annavilla, Sandford road, Ranelagh.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

ATKINSON—August 18, 1928, at her residence, 2 Rus-in-Urbe, Kingstown, Sara Ann Atkinson, aged 87 years.

D'OLIER—August 17, 1928, at Digby, Lincolnshire, result of aeroplane accident, Bertrand Guy, dearly-beloved husband of Beatrice D'Olier, of Digby, Lincolnshire. Funeral (private) arriving at Powerscourt Church, Enniskerry, this morning at 10 o'clock.

DUNNE—August 20, 1928, at his residence, "Hillview," Mountain road, Clonmel, Thomas J. Dunne (Tommy), dearly-beloved husband of Esther Dunne, to the inexpressible grief of his sorrowing wife and children, relatives, and a very large circle of friends. Office and High Mass this (Wednesday) morning at 10 o'clock at SS. Peter and Paul's Church. Funeral at 2.30 to St. Patrick's Cemetery.

EDMONDSON—August 14, 1928, at his residence, "Hope Dene," Worthing, Joseph Edmondson, late of Churchtown, Dundrum, County Dublin. "For ever with the Lord."

LEDLIE—August 21, 1928, at The Crescent, Queenstown, Alexander Holmes, youngest son of the late James Crawford Ledlie, of Endsleigh, Cork, aged 64 years. Funeral private. No flowers, by request.

LITSTER—August 21, 1928, suddenly, at Scrabo Cottage, Newtownards, Joan, beloved wife of Peter Litster, late of Oak Park, Carlow, aged 60 years. Funeral to Movilla Cemetery to-morrow (Thursday) at 2 o'clock.

O'BRIEN—August 17, 1928, at her residence, Woodview, Howth, Mary, widow of the late Patrick O'Brien. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral took place yesterday (Tuesday) from the Church of the Assumption, Howth, to family burial ground.

SULLIVAN—August 20, 1928, at Davos, Switzerland, Dan (Bobbie), eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Sullivan, 65 Northumberland road, Dublin. R.I.P.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mrs. George Norman wishes to thank her numerous friends for their kind letters of sympathy in her deep sorrow.

MONTH'S MIND.

Solemn Requiem Mass will be celebrated at Conick Church on Saturday morning, the 25th inst., at 9 o'clock (summer time), for the repose of the soul of the late **Mr. Maxwell Green.**

IN MEMORIAM.

ATWOOD—In ever-loving memory of our darling mother, who entered into rest 22nd August, 1921.
Some from earth, from glory some,
Severed only "Till He come."

BELL—In ever-loving remembrance of Bessie, dearly-loved wife of James Bell, Glasthule terrace, Sandycove, called Home August 22nd, 1920.
"Until the Easter glory gilds the skies;
Until the dead in Jesus shall arise,
And He shall come, but not in lowly guise—
Good night."

FENTON—In fond memory of Hungerford Skeffington Fenton, who died in Adelaide Hospital, August 22nd, 1920. "Thy will be done." Inserted by his loving daughter, Lilly.

JOLLIFFE—In affectionate remembrance of Miss Jolliffe, who died at her residence, 2 Victoria terrace, Terenure road, August 22nd, 1922; also Mr. Jolliffe. Ever remembered by Kate.

MANLY—First Anniversary—In loving memory of my mother, Helena Josephine Manly (née Worthy), who died on 22nd August, 1927, at 3 Frankfort avenue, Rathgar. R.I.P. Inserted by her youngest daughter.

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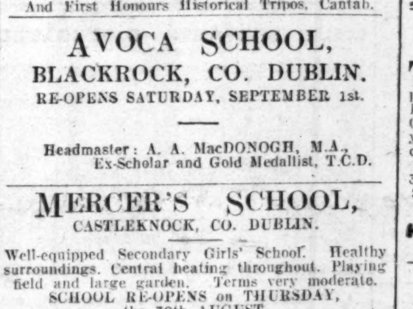

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LOST, Fishing Bag and Contents, Saturday last, on Coast road, north of Arklow. Reward.—Ward, 97 Upper George's street, Kingstown.

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£1 REWARD—Lost on Wednesday, Black Cocker Bitch. Finder please report to nearest police barracks, or Griffin's, 4 Main street, Bray. 17 C

£1 REWARD—Lost, Sunday, vicinity Terenure, small Scotch Terrier, rough dark coat, possibly travelled towards city.—150 Botanic road. 20 C

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The appointment will be for the Session 1928-29, but may be renewed from year to year.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, should be sent to the undersigned not later than the 25th day of August, 1928.

Canvassing by candidates will disqualify.

(By Order),
MICEAL O'DEAGAID, Runaidhe,
Courthouse, Ennis.

COUNTY CLARE JOINT TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION COMMITTEE.

DOMESTIC ECONOMY INSTRUCTRESS.

The above-named Committee invite applications for the post of Whole-time Domestic Economy Instructress from persons holding the Teachers' Diploma of a recognised school of domestic training in Cookery, Laundrywork, Housewifery and Needlework. Salary £80 per annum, raising to £150 per annum in accordance with scale approved under the Department's Circular 21 (Revised). In addition, Cost of Living Bonus will be paid, and the usual Travelling and Maintenance Allowances. The present Cost of Living Bonus on £80 per annum is £64.

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WANTED, respectable I.C. as Companion Help in small farmhouse; comfortable home; age over 40 years; small salary; one used to farmhouse preferred.—Mackey, Coolmine, Clonsilla, Co. Dublin.

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WOULD represent a good Dublin House in Teas, Wines and Spirits, etc., Limerick district; highest recommendations and good connection. Address "Z 1915, Representative," this office. 20 E

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SOLICITOR'S Widow (children dependent), expert Scrivener, Typist, wishes home work.—D 1460, this office.

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NURSERY Governess (R.C.) desires engagement, kindergarten, needlewoman. Address "Z 1920, Governess," this office. 21 F

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EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

A QUALIFIED Shorthand Typist desires position; two years' experience; highest references.—D 1291, this office. 20 E

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EXPERIENCED Lady Cook Housekeeper disengaged; highest testimonials. Address "Z 1891, Lady," this office. 20 E

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GENERAL Man seeks situation (indoor); first class milker; well recommended; thoroughly understands stock.—56, Wilde's Office, Bray. 20 C

MOST respectable country Man, single, wants situation as Milk Server; good milker; security given; good references.—D 1246, this office. 19 D

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WANTED, September 14, two experienced, superior Protestant Maids, country rectory, near Dublin; state full particulars, wages. Address "Z 1879, Maids," this office. 20 C

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WANTED, Protestant Useful Maid for delicate lady, comfortable country house; eight servants; separate bedroom; 'bus to Dublin; good wages; must be good traveller; references required. Address "Z 1911, Maid," this office. 20 X

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GOOD Cook General Wanted, country, suburbs (20 minutes from city by 'bus); must be well recommended; send copies discharges; house parlourmaid kept.—D 1444, this office.

LADY wants a well recommended Cook General, Stillorgan; house parlourmaid kept; send copies references.—D 1443, this office.

SUPERIOR well trained Cook General required, Dublin, R.C., wages £36; excellent cooking essential; nurse kept; youngest child, 6 years.—D 1240, this office. 18 D

SUPERIOR young Cook General (Protestant), Ballsbridge; good cook and houseworker; £36; enclose copies.—D 1345, this office. 20 C

WANTED, first week September, for South side Dublin, capable Cook General; four in family; house parlourmaid kept; wages commencing £36; experienced general might suit.—D 1224, this office. 18 D

WANTED, experienced Cook General, R.C., for country house; no housework; some help given; small dairy. Apply, stating age, wages, copies references, Mrs. Macardle, Miltown Grange, Castlebellingham. 17 D

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WANTED, good Cook General, outdoor; must be well recommended; state wages.—D 1275, this office. 20 C

WANTED, single handed Cook, first class, for small family, city; good wages to suitable person; two maids kept.—D 1459, this office. 21 F

GENERALS WANTED.

A SUPERIOR General Maid required, small family; no children; good wages for suitable person.—D 1124, this office. 17 C

A SMART young General Wanted; no cooking.—7 Bloomfield avenue, S. C. road. 18 D

AN experienced young General Wanted, R.C., good cook, family 3; help given; send copies, state age, wages £30.—Drumdoe, Naas, County Kildare. 20 E

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EXPERIENCED General required; good cook; well recommended.—9 Pembroke Park, Dublin

GOOD General required, honest, trustworthy; must be well recommended; Glasnevin district; outdoor. Address "Z 1738, General," this office. 15 C

GENERAL required September 10th; must understand all duties; two adults and two children; children's maid helps in house; wages about £30; Pembroke; enclose copies.—D 1350, this office. 20 C

GENERAL Maid Wanted, young; state age, wage, name for reference.—Maxwell, 3 Elm Grove road, Ealing, London, W. 5.

GENERAL Wanted for middle of October, small modern house, Donnybrook; good references essential; two in family; all duties; state age and wages expected.—D 1440, this office. 21 D

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WANTED for Sunnyside Protestant Orphan Home, Kilternan, respectable Protestant General; 'buses pass gate.—The Secretary, Kilternan Grange, Kilternan. 20 C

WANTED, good, young Generals. Call after 6 o'clock, Dunamase, Ulverton road, Dalkey. 21 F

WANTED, General Servant; Protestant.—The Great Britain, Esplanade, Bray. 21 F

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HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

EXPERIENCED House Parlourmaid Wanted, third week September; cook and nurse kept; must be well recommended.—975, Wilde's Office, Bray. 20 C

HOUSE Parlourmaid and Housemaid Wanted; some help given; cook kept; R.C., age 30 to 35.—Mrs. S., Stonehurst, Buxton, Derbyshire, England. 7 17

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WANTED, Housemaid, well recommended, two in family. Send copies, stating age, religion, wages, to Mrs. Richard Goodbody, Clara House, Clara, King's County.

WANTED, experienced House Parlourmaid; must be well recommended. Call after 8 p.m., Ardrigh, Temple road. 21 D

WANTED, well recommended Housemaid; excellent needlewoman, care linen, assist child (5).—Fairy Hill, Blackrock. 21 F

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DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

BROKEN WINDOW.

DUBLIN STREET CHASE.

(BEFORE MR. LITTLE.)

James Deane, a messenger boy, aged 17, residing in a tenement house in Meath street, was charged with having maliciously broken a plate glass window in the outfitting establishment of Messrs. Seale, Westmoreland street.

Sergeant Kelly, 15 D, in reply to Mr. J. W. Davis, who prosecuted, stated that when walking down Westmoreland street between 10 and 11 o'clock on Monday night he heard a crash of glass and saw the accused running away from in front of Messrs. Seale's and in the direction of College Green. A crowd of people on the footpath pursued him, as did the witness and Sergeant Byrne. The pursued man doubled back and got round the corner into Aston's quay, with Sergeant Byrne close behind him. He next saw the accused in the custody of the sergeant outside the house, 8 Fleet street. He heard him say to Sergeant Byrne: "I suppose I'll get a milling for this."

To Mr. P. H. O'Brien, solicitor, for the defence, the witness stated that no one but the accused ran away out of the crowd on the footpath, but when he ran several people ran after him.

Sergeant Byrne, 7 B, stated that when he heard the crash he looked across the street and saw the accused break away from the crowd. When cut off by people who joined in the pursuit, he turned and got away into Aston's quay. The witness ran after him along Aston's lane into Fleet street, and saw him disappear into the doorway of No. 8. He followed and found him crouched in a corner on the second landing. When the witness got to him he said: "All right, sergeant; you have got your man."

On the way to the station he said: "I suppose I'll get a milling for this." When asked why he broke the window, he said: "I will say nothing now." When charged and cautioned at College Station he said: "I am innocent of the charge."

To Mr. O'Brien, the sergeant replied that just after the crash he saw the accused quite close to the window.

Mr. Davis—Were you at a meeting in College Green earlier in the evening?—Yes.

Were there many people there?—Between 4,000 and 5,000.

Mr. Little—How do you make that evidence, Mr. Davis?

Mr. Davis—I thought it would lead up to——

Mr. Little—It is not evidence.

An employé of Messrs. Dockrell gave evidence that the damage done amounted to £8 15s.

Edmund Fitzpatrick, employed by Messrs. Seale, told the Court that he found the heavy iron bar now produced inside the broken window. The total cost of making good the damage done to the glass and to the blind would be between £10 and £11.

The Justice said that the amount of the damage took the case out of his hands, and he would have to send the accused for trial at the Circuit Court. He allowed him out in the meantime on his father's bail of £50.

STREET TRADER SENT TO JAIL.

Sarah Browe and Mary Lowe, street traders from George's street area, were charged with having been guilty of disorderly conduct and using obscene language in the yard of the Court on Monday last.

Guard Brophy, 44D, gave evidence that the defendants were prominent in a scene of disorder that took place outside the Court on the conclusion of the hearing of street traders' cases on Monday.

Browe was sent to jail for 14 days with hard labour and the other woman was fined 20s.

Fourteen women were fined 40s. each for street trading in the prohibited area of Parnell street. Mr. J. W. Davis, for the police, said that all the defendants had broken an undertaking given in Court that they would abide by the regulations.

CHARGE AGAINST AN EX-SOLDIER.

William Byrne (40), an ex-soldier, with an address in Killester, was charged on warrants by Detective-Sergeant Crimmins with having within the past three weeks converted to his own use £3 15s. 6d. of £4 5s. 6d. entrusted to him on behalf of the Irish Sailors' and Soldiers' Land Trust.

The information upon which the defendant was prosecuted was lodged by George H. Smith, 14 Wilton terrace, and others. Evidence of the collection of the money by the defendant having been given the prosecutor asked for a remand, with a view to making further inquiries.

Mr. J. V. Brady, who defended, asked that his client be allowed bail. The man, who admitted having taken the money, had, he said, borne a very high character until he took to gambling and went deeper and deeper. He had an army pension of £1 14s. 9d. a week from which he would make restitution.

Mr. Little remanded the accused for 14 days upon independent bail.

BETTING TRANSACTION.

GAMING ACT PLEADED.

(BEFORE MR. KENNY.)

James McDonnell, commission agent, 17 Wellington quay, sued John Keane, commercial traveller, with an address in Haddon road, Clontarf, to recover £23 6s. 5d. due on betting transactions. Mr. M. J. Molloy, instructed by Messrs. Roger Greene and Sons, appeared for plaintiff, who proved that the money was due.

Mr. Mooney, instructed by Messrs. Blake and Dunne, said that his instructions were to plead the Gaming Act, and the case was accordingly dismissed.

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DUBLIN'S WELCOME TO VISITORS.

MUNICIPAL DELEGATES FROM COPENHAGEN.

The members of the Garden Cities and Town-Planning Association, who arrived in Dublin on Monday, were given an official reception yesterday morning in the Oak Room of the Mansion House, Dublin. Dr. William C. Dwyer, City Commissioner, presided. With him were Mr. E. P. McCarron, Secretary to the Department of Local Government and Public Health, and Mr. Commissioner P. J. Hernon. Mr. Commissioner Seamus Murphy, Chairman of the City Commissioners, was unavoidably absent.

There were present, as members of the party, the Mayor of Copenhagen (Mr. P. G. Pederson), Alderman Jessen, Municipality of Copenhagen; Mr. Bjerregaard, Secretary of the Department of Municipal Housing, Copenhagen; the City Architect (Mr. Holsoe), Copenhagen; the City Engineer (Mr. Bjerre), Copenhagen; Mr. E. C. P. Monson, F.R.I.B.A., F.S.I., M.T.P.I., London, and Mrs. Monson; Mr. C. J. Pollard, National Radiator Company; Miss M. E. Anderson, member, Garden Cities and Town-Planning Association; Mr. Beverly G. Ussher, Co. Waterford; Mr. W. Nunan, M.D., Police Surgeon of Bombay and Professor of Medicinal Jurisprudence, University of Bombay; Mr. Manning Robertson, A.R.I.B.A., M.R.I.A.I., and Mrs. Manning Robertson, Dublin; Councillor A. T. Pike, Finchley Urban District Council, Secretary Garden Cities and Town-Planning Association.

Among the others present were Messrs. Gerald J. Sherlock, Town Clerk; M. F. Moynihan, City Engineer; Horace T. O'Rourke, City Architect; Joseph Sherwin, Secretary, Housing Department; P. J. Dillon, Superintendent of Housing; Colonel and Mrs. Moses and Miss Cummins, U.S.A.; P. J. Byrne, C.E., and George O'Connor, architect.

Dr. Dwyer said—Mr. Mayor of Copenhagen, ladies and gentlemen, it is my privilege to bid you welcome to the City of Dublin, and to express the hope that what has been attempted in our large housing estates will meet your approval. During last week the Congress of the Institute of Public Health was held here, and the interest shown by the delegates in the Housing and Town-Planning Section equalled, if it did not exceed, that taken in any other section. I deeply regret that you could not have honoured us with your presence at the meetings of this section of the Congress. I know that you would have placed at our disposal the benefits of your experience, which would be of great interest and use to the delegates.

There has not yet been a Town-Planning Act formulated in this country. The Legislature, since the formation of a native Government, naturally has been more than fully engaged, and the most enthusiastic of us on the subject of town-planning would scarcely desire hasty or ill-considered legislation on the matter.

DUBLIN'S EARLY EXAMPLE.

This city shows many examples of the advisability of judicious planning. The Wide Streets Commissioners, appointed and subsidised by a native Parliament in the early part of the nineteenth century, showed full appreciation of the necessities of judicious planning, which was not generally recognised as prudent for a considerable time later. The wide thoroughfares—O'Connell street, O'Connell Bridge, Nassau street and Dame street—through which you will be passing are some of the examples of their early prudence and wisdom. The lay-out and broad roads of our suburban areas, planned and constructed at the same time, are also examples for some of the lessons which the town-planners are now endeavouring to teach.

I assure you that the members of your Association are very welcome. I personally am glad to see persons from the neighbouring countries interested in housing with us. To them I owe a personal debt of gratitude for their unfailing courtesy and the generous advice from the fund of their experience so generously afforded to me whenever sought. The representatives of Denmark have also a special claim on our greetings, representing, as they do, a nation whose industries, people, history and scenery are so similar to our own. (Applause.)

Mr. McCarron, Secretary to the Department of Local Government and Public Health, said that the Minister (Mr. R. Mulcahy) had asked him to come there that morning to convey his deep regret that he could not attend. The secret was that the Minister had gone away for a very short holiday, which had been planned for a long time, and which the Minister needed so much after a long period of hard work. When they received the list of delegates who were to come from the Garden Cities' and Town Planning Association, they were delighted to see so many coming from Copenhagen. Having referred to past associations between the Danish and Irish peoples, Mr. McCarron said that the Danes were good planners of ships, and they were good planners of towns, and they (in the Free State), who had been giving some little thought to this question of town-planning, knew that a great deal of interest was being taken in the subject in Copenhagen. This was an ideal place for people interested in town-planning to come to, because they could have perfect rest here—there was not any town-planning here. (Laughter.) But, if it was belated, the subject was not being neglected; the immediate duty, however, was to eradicate the slums.

IRELAND'S BEAUTY SPOTS.

Councillor A. T. Pike, Secretary of the Garden Cities' and Town-Planning Association, returned thanks for the welcome accorded to the delegates. It was too early yet, he said, to give any impressions of what they had gathered from Dublin—as they had only arrived the previous day—but they would, no doubt, receive impressions of varying characters and varying degrees, and these would be recorded in due course in that publication called "Garden Cities and Town Planning." They wanted to leave two messages behind them, and, from their experience in England, he thought that these two points would be — Town Planning and the preservation of amenities. He hoped that Ireland would not suffer, as they had suffered in England, from destruction of beauty spots. Public opinion ought to be enlightened against spoliation of beauty spots, and it was hoped that some very rigid measures would be made to prevent spoilation of those things which made Ireland what she was. Then there was the need for Town-Planning for the State. The Town-Planning Act in England was one of the best pieces of legislation that had been provided for town growth and planning.

Mr. Bjerre, City Engineer, Copenhagen, also returned thanks for the welcome which they had received. They were impressed, he said, by what they had already seen. Usually, he remarked, where there were wide streets, good business was done at only one side of them, "but here," he added, "for the first time we have seen broad streets with very good business being done on both sides."

CHEERFUL HOUSING AREAS.

Those present then left in a motor omnibus, the property of the Dublin Tramway Company, on a visit of inspection of the houses erected in recent years at the northern side of the city by the City Commissioners, and by the British Government for ex-Servicemen. They were accompanied by the City Architect, the City Engineer, the Secretary of the Housing Department, the Superintendent of Housing and other officials, who had maps and other details available.

They first visited the Donnelly Orchard area, where there are 84 five-roomed houses, with bathrooms, and hot and cold water. These houses are solidly constructed, and are very tastefully kept by the occupiers, who seem to take a pride in their plots.

Killester was next visited. Here there are 247 bungalows, which were built out of a grant made by the British Government for ex-Service men. These houses, which consist of four, five, and six rooms each, respectively, with bathroom and hot water, are let at from 9s. to 12s. 6d. a week, exclusive of taxes. The party was met by Captain De Lacey, superintendent of the estate, and the members were struck by the pretty houses and the very moderate rents. The houses were clean and tidy. In one of those visited was a man who had lost both legs in the Great War. Despite this terrible disability, he seemed happy and contented in such pleasant surroundings.

The Marino and Croydon Park area was next visited. Here a large-sized town has come into being in a few years—thanks to the energy of the City Commissioners and to the operation of Government grants. There are in all 1,300 houses, with a population of nearly 10,000. The houses are five-roomed, with bathrooms and hot and cold water. The average rent is 16s. 5d. per week, which includes purchase annuity for a period of 40 years (when they become the property of the tenants), rates, ground rent, insurance, and collection charges. Here, again, the houses are beautifully kept, and the tenants seem to vie with one another in the attention given to flowers and vegetables. It might here be mentioned that a special cup is offered annually for the best kept area, and a special prize is also given for the best kept individual garden. Last year Donnelly's Orchard won the area cup, and Mr. Magrane, 11 Brien road, Marino, was awarded the prize for the best kept garden.

In Croydon Park there are football and tennis pitches, and a children's playground, while at Marino there is a junior football course. A new church and two new schools have also been erected in the vicinity.

The visitors were then taken through Griffith road—a new road, 100 feet in width, made of reinforced concrete, which connects Malahide and Ballymun roads. It is a fine engineering undertaking, and was subsidised by the Government to the extent of three-fourths of the cost.

The next place visited was the Drumcondra area, where 535 houses have been erected. The situation is delightful, and the houses consist of five, four, and three rooms, respectively, with, of course, bathrooms and hot water arrangements. The rents are 16s. 1d., 12s. 9d., and 9s. 3d. a week each, respectively. Again the visitors were delighted with the manner in which those pretty houses and plots were kept. The tenants seemed very comfortable and happy, and one could not help contrasting the healthy, happy conditions in which they live with the wretched insanitary conditions of the slum areas of the city.

The visitors returned to the Royal Hibernian Hotel for luncheon, and in the afternoon they went on a tour of inspection of houses erected on the Southern side of the city and in coast townships.

CHURCH SERVICES.

St. Patrick's Cathedral.—Morning Service at 10 o'clock. Psalm, 107. Jubilate, 9. Litany. Hymn, 639. Evening Service at 4 o'clock. Magnificat, 6th Tone. Nunc Dimittis, 6th Tone. Anthem, "I will lay me down," Sullivan.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE FREE STATE CENSORSHIP BILL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—It is well that the Censorship Bill should publicly be discussed before it reaches the Legislature, so that members may know what is the general feeling of the country on the subject. Otherwise we may be rushed into hasty legislation which we shall have cause to regret. We are all censors of literature. No one can compel us to read books or papers which we dislike. Every parent is free to debar from his family circle anything which he considers injurious to its faith or morals. We can also express our opinions in the public Press. Public opinion is the best safeguard of morals; but I, personally, would strongly resent anyone's dictating to me what I should read or not read. Freedom in this respect I regard as one of my most cherished possessions, and what I claim for myself I am bound to grant to others.

I have read many attacks upon the alleged flood of evil literature which is indundating the country; but I have never come across it myself, and details are never given to enable me to judge. Judging by those who make the attacks, I strongly suspect that the real objection is not that the literature is immoral, but that it is English. We have already in Ireland a censorship of games. It is forbidden to play a game of cricket, or even to look on at one—not because it is objectionable in itself, but because it is English. Then we have a censorship of women's dress. I strongly resent the assertion that any woman of my acquaintance dresses immodestly, and I am glad to see that they have the good sense to treat the whole thing as a joke. To the pure all things are pure. There are some minds so depraved that they can find something indecent or obscene in almost anything under the shining heavens. Such people are the real danger to innocent youth, and no legislation can stop their foul mouths.

Good, healthy, scientific teaching on the fundamental facts of life is the best safeguard for youth against vulgar and obscene literature. A well-instructed and cultured mind will turn from it in disgust. It will die a natural death. To call attention to it will only advertise it the more. When I was a boy at school our classical master told us one day that our lesson for the next day would be a certain ode of Horace, "omitting the first verse." We all gained the credit of a work of supererogation; for we learned that verse better than any of the others. Will our new censors only permit us to read an expurgated edition of the classics and Shakespeare? If so, they must consistently go farther, and give us a bowdlerised version of the Bible.

Your cannot separate morals from faith. You must logically go on to prohibit literature supposed to be dangerous to dogmatic theology. Unless the committee of censorship is to be altogether a sectarian one, how can it decide this question? Should it give civil sanction to the Roman Index of Prohibited Books? Even then the question would arise, *Quis custodiet custodes?* All down the history of the Christian Church we have innumerable instances in which the ecclesiastical authorities have tried their best to suppress publications as teaching error which are now admitted to have taught truth. For two hundred years all books which taught the Copernican theory of the earth's motion were placed on the Roman Index.

With the rapid advance of scientific knowledge at the present day, it is becoming more and more difficult to pronounce that any article of religious belief is certainly true or certainly false. An essential condition of all human progress is freedom of thought, freedom of research and freedom of expression. So far, the rulers of the Irish Free State have exhibited a very creditable characteristic of broadmindedness and toleration. They have given no just ground for any accusation of a sectarian spirit, or of being influenced by any undue pressure from any quarter. They are rapidly gaining the confidence and support of the best elements both in their own country and abroad. I fear that the new bill, if passed, would inevitably give rise to heated controversy. Better let well alone.

In a certain Church the preacher denounced a book called "Robert Elsmere." As the congregation left the church, one heard on every side the questions, "Have you got the book?" "Will you lend it to me?" On the Continent I am told that, if a book is put on the Index, it is assured of an extensive sale.—Yours, etc.,

DUDLEY FLETCHER.

St. Laserian's, Old Leighlin,
August 21st, 1928.

THE TAILTEANN MARATHON.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—It is amusing to read in your issue of to-day the statement which Lieutenant Bell, the manager of the U.S.A. Olympic athletic team, is reported to have made at the international conference of Aonach Tailteann—namely, that "Joie" Ray's claim to have set up a world's "record" when he covered the distance between Garlow Cross and Croke Park in 2 hrs. 31 mins. 25 2-5 secs. is "completely vindicated" by the fact that a sealed speedometer of a motor car made the distance between the two points to be "26.3 miles, or 143 yards longer than the recognised Marathon course of 26 miles 385 yards." (The arithmetic is not mine.) It would be a simple plan to measure the course on an Ordnance Survey map of a suitable scale, or, alternately, to employ the method used by the Irish Road Club for measuring the courses of their road events—namely, by the pedal revolutions of a "fixed-wheel" bicycle. If either of these methods shows that the course is the "full Marathon distance," as the programme of the N.A. and C.A. championships described it, it could afterwards be more accurately measured in the manner you indicate.

Too much care cannot be exercised in the passing of a "record." In doing so we are setting up a standard for posterity, and, notwithstanding Boyle Roche, posterity is deserving of some consideration. We cannot verify the time of a race after the event, but the distance can be checked. Many people will continue to entertain doubt whether Dr. D. J. Cussen did 100 yards in 9 4-5 secs. in winning the Irish championship at Croke Park, and whether Warren did 10 3-5 secs., or the amended time of 10 4-5 secs., in winning the 100 Metres Race at the Tailteann Games; but none will doubt the fact that these runners covered the respective distances named, in view of the assurance that the course was subsequently measured accurately.—Yours, etc.,

T. W. MURPHY

48 Vernon avenue, Clontarf, Dublin,
August 21st, 1928.

THE PNEUMATIC TYRE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In your paper I notice the story of the invention of the first pneumatic tyres, which clearly brings to my mind the first pneumatic bicycle of Mr. J. B. Dunlop, and my experience thereon. At that time I was in possession of a diamond-framed, solid-tyred bicycle, which I was riding in Ormeau Park. Mr. Dunlop's son chanced to be there, with the new machine, at the same time. Naturally, I was interested in the size of pneumatic tyres two inches in diameter, when mine were only three-quarter inch solid. Being requested by the owner to have a ride, I quickly consented, and to my surprise and pleasure I imagined I was on the wind by its swiftness, little exertion and absence of noise. A short time after, when it came on the market, I procured a cross-framed machine which cost twelve guineas, at Mr. Edens Osborne's shop in Garfield street.

As I was a member of two cycling clubs, the Willowfield and Mossley, we had a combined run to Newtownards *via* Dundonald village, and, having reached the top of Bradshaw's Brae, I put my feet on the front fork supports and bade my friends good-bye. As I was the only pneumatic in the run of thirty members, I was almost ten minutes in Newtownards before my friends of the wheel. It created such a furore that, on the next combined run, all were equipped with pneumatics, and up to the present I have been riding the push-bike, as it is hard to discard one's old love. It has been the forerunner of the motor car, motor bicycle, aeroplane and various other machines for the swift locomotion of mankind.—Yours, etc.,

W. J. MONTGOMERY.

28 Oakland avenue, Bloomfield,
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CATTLE EXPORTERS' ASSOCIATION.

LAIRAGE CHARGES.

Mr. Cornelius D. Crowley, Chairman, presided at a meeting of the Cattle Exporters' Association, held at the City Arms Hotel, Dublin. Correspondence was read from the Glasgow Live Stock Salesmen's Association regarding certain improvements suggested by the Irish exporters in the system of selling Irish fat stock at Merklands Lairages, Glasgow, and requesting that a deputation from the Cattle Exporters' Association should join with them in pressing for a reduction of the present charges at Merklands Lairages.

The Glasgow Corporation, the owners of the lairages, have agreed to receive representatives from the traders concerned. It was agreed that the North of Ireland Cattle Dealers and Stockowners' Association, Belfast, should be requested to send representatives to the conference. Messrs. William Shaw, Thomas Fitzgerald, and Hugh Cassidy were chosen to represent the Cattle Exporters' Association.

In regard to a recent case of outshipment of stock for Glasgow, correspondence from the shipping company concerned and the Free State Department of Industry and Commerce was read, and it was decided to take further action. The meeting also decided to take action with reference to the holding-up of Irish cattle at Norwich and Heysham.

The following resolution was passed unanimously:—

"That this Association calls the attention of the Minister for Lands and Agriculture to the enormous losses sustained by many of its members, due to the holding up of their stock, both at Irish and British ports, owing to the recent suspected case of foot-and-mouth disease, and it is the opinion of the Committee that measures less drastic could be devised, pending investigation of the case. We are satisfied that precautionary measures should be taken, but they should be devised with a view to lessening the hardships to all concerned."

FUNERAL OF MR. W. REDFERN KELLY.

The funeral of Mr. W. Redfern Kelly, late chief engineer to the Belfast Harbour Trust, took place from his residence, Dalriada, Malone Park, Belfast, to the city cemetery yesterday.

The officiating clergyman was the Rev. R. W. Seaver, B.D., Rector of St. John's, Malone.

Mr. Edwin Kelly, sen., was the chief mourner, and among others present were:—Mr. R. E. Herdman, D.L., Chairman of the Belfast Harbour Commissioners; the Right Hon. J. M. Barbour, D.L., M.P.; Sir Robert Baird, D.L.; Messrs. M. J. Watkins, general manager, and T. E. Gilbert, B.E., engineer, of the Belfast Harbour Board.

The Belfast Harbour Commissioners, at their meeting yesterday, passed a resolution expressing their deep regret at the death of Mr. Redfern Kelly, and expressing sympathy with his family.

ENNISKILLEN ARTIST'S EXHIBITION.

Miss Kathleen Bridle, A.R.C.A. (Lond.), art mistress at the Technical School, Enniskillen, is holding an exhibition of her paintings at Holyhead this week. It was opened on Monday by Lady Kathleen Stanley. Miss Bridle (whose parents, Lieutenant and Mrs. Bridle, reside at Holyhead) was educated at the Metropolitan School of Art, Dublin, and at the College of Art, South Kensington. She is the holder of several valuable prizes gained at the Royal National Eisteddfod of Wales, and she was a quadruple 1st prize winner at the 1927 Holyhead National Eisteddfod. She also gained 1st prize at this year's Eisteddfod at Treorchy, South Wales.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, August 22, 1928.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Denning, 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—O'Meara v. Feehan, Skinner and Son; Feehan v. O'Meara, same; Stoker v. Quinn, same; Duffy v. Brennan, P. J. Mulligan; Beamish v. Jenkinson, Findlater and Co.

The next war will be declared, fought, and won within a few days.—*Sir James Irvine.*

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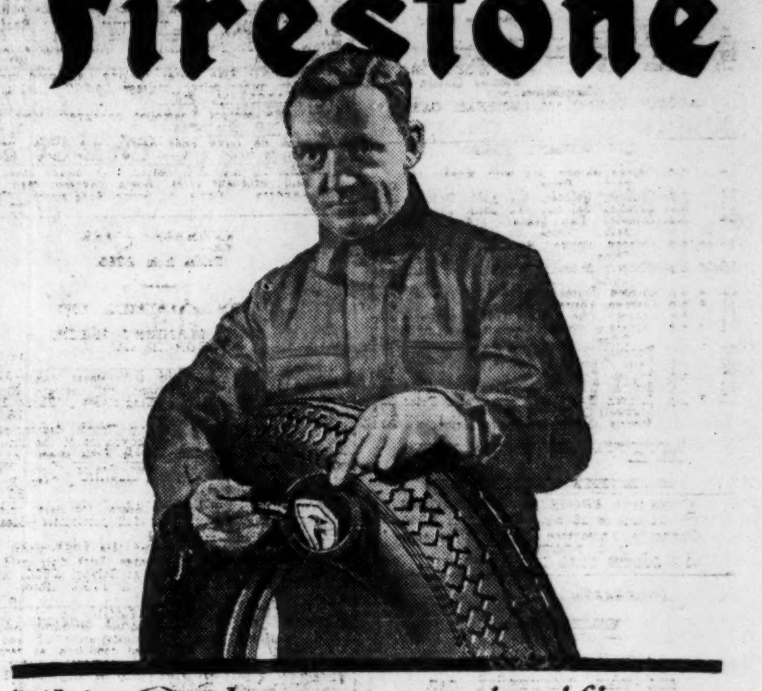

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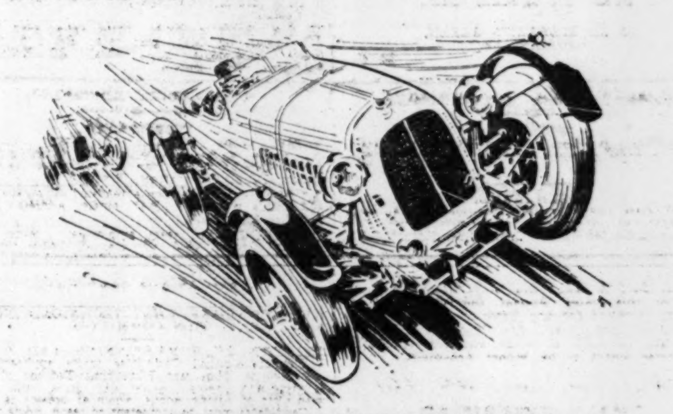

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RIGHTS IN A WATERWORKS SOLD.

The Donegal Board of Health, on the motion of Mr. McCreadie, seconded by Mr. Eugene Mahony, decided to purchase from Sir Peter Stewart Bam his rights in the Dunfanaghy waterworks at a cost of £240.

Mr. McCreadie said that the Board had made a splendid bargain in getting the waterworks at such a low figure. It was agreed to ask the County Council for a loan of £200 for a septic tank at Dunfanaghy.

NORTHERN PORK MARKETS.

Pork was 78s. at Enniskillen market on yesterday, and 80s. at Cavan. There were big markets at both places.

William Frederick Piper, West Derby road, Liverpool, while walking with his wife at Holywell, where he was spending a holiday, was taken ill. He was removed to Holywell Cottage Hospital, and died soon afterwards.

A GERMAN CITY.

THE CHARM OF HAMBURG

KINDLINESS AND ORDER.

(*By "H. R. C."*)

WHAT'S in a name? A great deal, no doubt, if Mr. Shandy's famous theory could be proved correct. Most of us, however, are unwilling to go so far as Mr. Shandy; yet in unguarded moments we find ourselves expecting—or not expecting—certain qualities in persons, places and things, on the strength of names alone. When I was a small boy, I collected stamps, and it was while I was so engaged that my eyes lighted on the name "Hamburg" for the first time. I do not now remember whether it was a postage stamp or an envelope that bore the name, but I know well enough that for many a year the name suggested a strong, gloomy place which one might admire, but, by no possibility, love.

That Hamburg was a beautiful city—probably one of the most beautiful in Europe—I had no reason to suspect before the present summer. I had passed through the town many years earlier on my way from Osnabrück to Lubeck, but from the railway carriage I had only got the impression of a great and busy port. Hamburg is one of the greatest ports in the world, but it is for its beauty that I shall remember it, and, if I return to it, I will do so, not to inspect its docks, but to see the Alster.

THE CHURCHES.

Hamburg without the Alster would be as poor a place as Edinburgh without the Castle Rock and Salisbury Crags. It would be less attractive than Edinburgh; for though it is an ancient city, it has a more modern look than Auld Reekie. Fire and (to some extent) sword, and "progress" have removed many antiquities; but off the track of the tripper there are still old houses to be found, and one, at least, of Hamburg's churches is of great age. The Church of St. Nicholas, the *Hauptkirche* of Hamburg, a kind of Lutheran cathedral, dates only from the middle years of the last century. Unlike most North German churches, it is built of stone, and, by the height of its nave, reminds one of Westminster Abbey. Perhaps, the architect had the Abbey in mind: for the architect was the Englishman, Sir Gilbert Scott.

One has to learn to appreciate the beauties of the brick churches of this part of the world. For the visitor of average taste in architecture it is difficult—or, rather, impossible—to admire at first sight that masterpiece in brick, the *Marienkirche* of Lübeck, but the beauty of Hamburg's great church leaps to the eyes. A Western European finds in it what he expects to find in such a building. He discovers some concessions to local taste and creed, but the church, as a whole, has nothing distinctively North German in plan or decoration. It might have been built anywhere west of the Rhine and north of the Pyrenees.

The Alster is a little river, which, I presume, was once a tributary of the Elbe, but to the Hamburger the Alster is not the river, but the lake into which the river broadens, and round which the most splendid part of the city lies. It is divided by the Lombardsbrücke into two very unequal parts, the length of the whole lake being about two miles, and at its broadest part the Alster measures, perhaps, three-quarters of a mile. The water is sluiced into the Elbe, and there are, therefore, no tides. Absence of tides facilitates getting into and out of boats, and the Alster has accordingly become a regular highway between the centre of the city and the suburbs that have grown up round the banks of the lake and the banks of the streams and canals that open into it.

A RESEMBLANCE.

There are excellent tramcars in Hamburg, but unless you have to break your journey to town from Winterhude or Mühlenkamp, you will choose the Alster as your route. At any time, and in almost all weathers, the view down the lake is worth committing to memory—in front and around, the watery highway, across which motor boats are hurrying and yachts gliding, and, on the right hand and the left, green banks gay with roses descending to the water; in the distance the *Lombardsbrück*, behind which the tall spires of St. Nicholas's, St. Peter's, and the Rathaus stand out against the southern sky. We all have our favourite views. One of mine is the view across the College Park, the pleasance of the College of the Sacred and Undivided Trinity, *Juxta Dublin*. The view down the Alster reminded me of the prospect that one has on entering the Park from Lincoln place. I cannot help it; I belong to the tribe of those who see resemblances—in the heavens above, in the earth beneath, and in the waters under the earth. You whose property is to see differences rather than resemblances need not point out that the Park is solid earth and the Alster water, and that only one spire, and that a stumpy one, is visible beyond the College buildings. The resemblance between the Alster and the Park was there plainly enough—for me.

There are odd-looking little platforms here and there in the shallowed water—horseshoe-shaped, with low sides rising towards the back. They look like those shovels that are stuck into the backs of coal-boxes. Their purpose was not at first evident. A board slopes from the platform to the water, and battens are fixed across it to give the user a foothold. As the Alster was no place for mermaids, we had to give up the notion that it was for these ladies that the thoughtful Hamburgers had erected the little resting-places; but before long a young observer belonging to our party discovered straw on one of the platforms, and later on we found a swan and cygnets very much at home in another.

PRE-WAR SPARROWS.

The Hamburgers, it is probable, have faults as others have, but cruelty to animals does not appear to be a general failing. The birds, at any rate, have nothing to complain of. We saw about two dozen sparrows being fed at the busy landing-place on the Jungfernstieg, and showing no uneasiness in the neighbourhood of so many of the larger bipeds. They were German sparrows, and had some of the pre-war military instinct in their bones. They had lined up three deep, and every little fellow, I am sure, waited for his turn to feed. It would be no great wonder if orderly habits descended to the birds and beasts in that land of law and order. Military spirit seems to be dead—perhaps, it was never strong in the free Hanse cities—but the clock-work regularity that one associates with military service is everywhere noticeable. Trains depart and arrive in exact accordance with the promise of the timetables, even the skippers of the motor boats plying on the Alster feel the obligation of punctuality so keenly that I do not believe they would bring their craft back to the landing-place to take the *Oberbürgermeister* himself on board. A young member of our party sprang on to the deck of one of these boats as it was leaving the Jungfernstieg, and, despite supplications in the universal language of fear, was carried off alone. He was, however, comforted by the crew, and was left to be called for at the next stopping place.

You need not plead ignorance if you break the by-laws of Hamburg. You are "a willing sinner" if you park your car in an area which is not intended for cars. You may leave your car on the Jungfernstieg, but you must take care that it occupies one of the spaces marked out by white lines on the asphalt. The authorities do not insist on carters feeding their horses within doors, but, if the beasts are fed in the street, a kind of tablecloth is spread under the nose-bags. I do not know whether this provision is due to municipal regulation, and I should not be surprised to learn that it is not; the love of order, however it may have got into the national being, seems nowadays capable of functioning without legal stimulus.

NOISY AT ALL HOURS.

One is tempted to make comparisons, and I made many as I went about Hamburg. Though the country has still to pay enormous sums to its former enemies, there seems to be no disposition to appear before the world *in forma pauperis*. Nowhere in Hamburg did I see badly-kept streets, railings rusting for want of paint, broken windows, dirty houses, or any of the other signs of national despondency. On the other hand, Hamburg is not shabbily genteel. There is no more evidence of an attempt to keep up appearances than there is of a disposition to let things slide.

Yes, when you are next thinking of a trip abroad, you may safely include Hamburg among the places to be visited. You will find plenty to interest you, whatever your tastes may be and whatever your age. The tastes and ages of the members of our party differed widely, but we agreed that our sojourn in Hamburg was more interesting than any of our other Continental experiences. Some members of the party yawned in the municipal picture gallery, but boredom departed when Hagenbeck's *Tierpark* was reached. Haganbeck's "Zoo" is outside Hamburg, but is easily reached by tram. Inside the city boundaries there is a municipal "Zoo," large and well-stocked; but Hagenbeck's draws the crowds, and the municipal establishment seems to be suffering slightly from an inferiority complex.

The only fly that we found in the Hamburg ointment was noise. There is quiet on the Alster and along the western banks, where the merchant princes and other wealthy folk have their homes; but Hamburg streets generally are noisy, and they are noisy at all hours. We lodged far away from the business quarter, but tramcars and motor vehicles seemed to be hurrying past the house for hours after midnight. Northern Germany has introduced the *Sountags ruhe* (Sunday rest), but it has still to obtain for its people and for the stranger within the gates a reasonable chance of sleeping during the small hours.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY.

Naseby Hall : Goldsmith-Burke Commemoration : Another Mouse Story.
Cross-Channel Steamers : Superstition about Dublin.
Javelin Contests : Watchmakers' Oil.

Flycatchers on Wheels.

Where are the flies this summer? Several housewives have remarked to me on their scarcity this year. Even the dangerous blue-bottle is quite a stranger in our larders! Someone has suggested that motor cars are accountable for the absence of the usual huge quantity of flies; and certainly I was surprised the other day when a friend lifted the bonnet of his car and told me to look inside. All parts of the machinery were covered with the oil-soaked bodies of dead flies.

Mosquitoes, unfortunately, are as plentiful as ever. The best cure for a mosquito sting, I am told, is a solution of Epsom salts. It should be smeared on, not rubbed in.

A Life of Service.

LORD MEATH.

The Earl of Meath, who has returned to his London home after a brief visit to Kilruddery, which formerly he regarded as home, is in his eighty-eighth year, but still wonderfully alert, and as enthusiastic as a young man with regard to causes near his heart. A man of highest public spirit and philanthropic zeal, he has had a fine record of service for the general good. He has worked hard and honestly as he saw best for Ireland, for the Empire and for humanity. His visit to Ireland last week was connected with his interest in Sir Robert Baden-Powell's Scout movement.

In earlier days Lord Meath was in the Diplomatic Service, and was attached to Legations in Germany, France and Holland. The most important public occasion on which I remember seeing him was the great recruiting meeting at the Mansion House, Dublin, in 1914. He presided there, I think, in his capacity as His Majesty's Lieutenant for the City and County of Dublin.

Deaths in Threes

A recent report from Cologne mentioned that the soldiers of the British Army of Occupation in the Rhineland have been much concerned over the fact, noticed since the early days of the occupation, that when a death occurs among them it is followed by two more deaths within a fortnight. There is nothing new in this, as students of folk-lore must be aware. It is only a survival of an old superstition, almost as old as humanity itself. The belief is more prevalent in Celtic countries, and its cropping up in Germany goes to support the theory held by anthropologists like Dr. Tylor and Sir Boyd Dawkins that some primitive superstitions, which for a time die out amongst peoples, are revived by coincidences of the most ordinary character.

Javelin Throwing.

Visitors to Croke Park last week, when they purchased a programme of the Tailteann Games, saw depicted on it the figure of an Irish athlete, represented in the act of throwing the javelin. On running their eyes down the list of events and competitions announced for the Games, however, they may have thought it a discrepancy that there was no mention of any contest for this most exciting of old-world exercises. With the ancients the full use of the javelin and shield among the Greeks, the djerid by the Arabians, and the lance by the Persians and Turks, was regarded as the acme of military skill. The dexterity attained by the people of Oriental nations in the use of this weapon in the Middle Ages was the subject of remark by old travellers; and to the present day, contests in casting the javelin constitute the most popular features of their tournaments and carnivals.

Shooting Feats.

Some years before the war a sporting journal took a ballot on the question who were the finest sporting shots in the United Kingdom. King George, who was still Prince of Wales then, was placed fourth. A London writer suggests that he would to-day merit even higher position. Probably the King would be the first to admit, however, that his shooting, owing to failing eyesight, is not so good as a few years ago.

Readers of Rider Haggard's romances recollect how proud was Mr. Allan Quatermain, the popular little sportsman who figures in so many of the best of them, of a feat that he performed when shooting with Sir Henry Curtis and Captain Good, R.N. The old elephant hunter shot four birds, ricochetting on a high wind, with four consecutive barrels, so that all four were falling in the air at the same time. King George is said to have actually achieved something like this on more than one occasion. I personally (the writer already quoted states) recall one particularly fine shot brought off by His Majesty when he was Prince of Wales and at the top of his form with a gun. It was during a record shoot over Lord Sefton's Ormskirk estate. A woodcock, flying fast and high down wind, escaped all the guns. The Prince, wheeling round as he raised his reserve gun to his shoulder, knocked over the bird end-on with his first barrel at extreme range.

Cross-Channel Speed.

How many persons among the many hundreds who at this season cross the Irish Channel on holiday bent know that the London, Midland and Scottish boats between Holyhead and Kingstown are the fastest short-trip steamers in service, with the exception only of one steamer on a British Channel route? The Great Western steamers on the Fishguard-Rosslare route are well up in the list, and some of the Isle of Man steamers also can do more than 22 knots.

Another Mouse Story.

The story—published in the "Diary" on Saturday last of the mouse that caused all the trouble amongst the ladies at a Queen's Hall Concert, has prompted a note from a correspondent, which goes to prove that the "best-laid schemes of mice and men gang aft agley"; for it is on record that a mouse succeeded once in dislocating the services on an important German railway.

There was at the time a system in vogue on most of the Continental railways by which a train, on leaving one station, automatically set in motion a device which rang a bell in the next station as warning to the signal-man that the train was approaching his area, and that if the line was clear he should drop his signal. On one occasion the bell failed to ring. The signal-man, at a loss to understand this extraordinary occurrence, but bound by the unbreakable rule which forbade him to clear the line until the bell rang, was unable to do anything but wait, though his clock told him that an express was due.

Meanwhile, the driver of the train, seeing the signal against him, stopped his engine, half-way between the stations, and out of sight of the signal-box.

After some time, when the patience of engine-driver, signal-man and passengers was exhausted, and when the various pompous, gold-braided officials were tearing their hair out, a pilot engine was obtained and the express moved slowly on.

But by this time a dozen other trains were held up in various parts of the main line. No one could understand the failure of an apparently fool-proof device, until it was discovered that a mouse, intent upon the problem of producing a family in comfort, had discovered a homely-looking box in which to build her nest. Unfortunately for everyone concerned, the "box" housed the terminals which completed the electric circuit of the bell system, and the electrocuted body of the mouse was found jammed between the bell and the striker.

Naseby Hall.

The Duke of York has at last gratified his desire to have a hunting residence in the Pytchley Hunt country. He has secured a lease of Naseby Hall, Northamptonshire, for the winter. The desirable feature of the hall is its excellent accommodation for the Duke's hunters. These are now being grazed along with the Prince's at Lenton, and the home farm on the Duchy. His Royal Highness did more hunting last season than in any season before, and its fascination developed; so that this year he intends to put in a full season in the saddle. One difficulty the Duke has experienced was in getting a house at which he and the Duchess could entertain. This they will be enabled to do at Naseby Hall, which is commodious and pleasantly situated right in the heart of the pick of the English packs. The Prince of Wales and the Duke of Gloucester, on their return from Africa, will get a few weeks' hunting.

Railway Wriggle.

A correspondent writes:—"The railway companies are alleged to be awakening, at last, to the serious competition of the motor coaches. Are they? If so, what is the explanation of the following incident? On my asking for the advertised 'week-end' ticket last Friday morning at a Dublin terminus, the booking clerk replied that 'week-end' tickets were not available for the morning train on that day. A long train left the station that morning with few passengers, which, considering the occasion, should have been full." Instead, I gather, my correspondent himself was full—of wrath. Could he, I wonder, have got a cheap "week-end" ticket on the rival 'bus service?

Watchmaker's Oil.

Waiting in a jeweller's shop for a watch repair to be finished, I listened to a "knowledgeable" man, who was in the shop at the same time and with a like purpose, telling the watchmaker something that was news to him, though it was connected with his trade. Watchmakers' oil, I learnt from this informal lecture, is obtained from the jaws of the porpoise. To obtain ordinary porpoise oil the blubber is melted down very slowly in large kettles over a low fire; but the real watchmakers' oil is obtained by hanging the jaws in the sun and collecting the oil in cans as it drips. About half a pint comes from every jaw. The real thing is expensive, and is reserved for use in the most delicate pieces of mechanism. Indians in the region of Nova Scotia produce the oil on their coasts, after chasing and shooting the porpoises in canoes.

Goldsmith and Burke.

An officer of the College Historical Society tells me that the Society will remember Goldsmith as well as Edmund Burke in the course of its next year. In March last the Society resolved to commemorate the bicentenary of Edmund Burke on January 12, 1929, "being mindful of his great services in public life, in literature, and in politics," as well as of his foundation, on April 21, 1747, of the Debating Club, the parent society of the present-day "Historical."

A painting of Oliver Goldsmith, after the celebrated portrait by Sir Joshua Reynolds, has been made lately for placing in the Society's reading-room, to mark the commemoration of the Goldsmith bicentenary, in which the College Historical Society will play a suitable part. The double celebration will be held in Michaelmas term, probably midway between the date of Burke's birthday and that of Goldsmith on November 10.

A Scholar's Retirement.

Monsignor Canon William Barry, D.D., who is, perhaps, the most erudite Catholic writer in England, is about to retire from his church of St. Peter's at Leamington. Canon Barry was born in London in 1849, and was educated first at Oscott College, Birmingham, and later at Rome, under Cardinals Franzelin and Tarzuini. He became Professor of Philosophy at the Birmingham Theological College, then Professor of Divinity at Oscott College, and subsequently was engaged in work at Dorchester.

His contributions to Catholic literature have been widely read, and he has been one of the leading contributors to the *Dublin Review* and the *Quarterly Review*. He delivered the Edmund Burke centenary lecture, and some years ago he received the congratulations of the Pope for his literary and religious work.

"The Soldier's Song."

Not even the most enthusiastic singer of "The Soldiers' Song" will quarrel with me when I say that something needs to be done about the tune in its ceremonial use in the place for a national anthem. It is so very long. At many ceremonies in the past twelve months or so I have been sorry for officers with their hands lifted to the salute, especially when they have been mounted on restive horses. British bands often shorten "God Save the King" to the first six bars, though the full verse is not noticably long. A shortened version of the Free State's official tune would be welcomed also by "wireless" listeners, if it really is necessary to have it played every night at the Dublin station. It is the practice to reserve some announcements until after the playing of "The Soldiers' Song," and if you would hear the announcements you must also hear the persistent length of the adopted tune.

Female Portrait Subjects.

Someone asked the other day how many portraits of Queen Mary are in existence. There must be quite a gallery of them by now; for Her Majesty has rarely been absent from the line at any Royal Academy, not to mention minor picture shows, since she became Queen. Viscountess Curzon's portrait has probably been painted as many times as any Mayfair dame's. The leading painters no longer follow the Stuart and Georgian fashion of taking stage beauties as their subjects. Probably no woman's features have been more often depicted on canvas in our day than Lady Lavery's. Sir John Lavery usually paints her several times a year, and it was said—and denied, I think—that it is her head that Sir John put in his design for the Free State currency notes, which are to be issued, and will be legal tender, from the 10th of September next.

LADY LAVERY.

An American Visitor.

Professor Emery Roe Hayhurst, of the Ohio State University, who represented America at the Public Health Congress in Dublin, and brought with him messages of greeting from various medical institutes in the United States, is still on the bright side of fifty, having been born at St. Louis in 1880. Professor Hayhurst has taken a leading part in America in the study of occupational diseases. He took his medical degrees at Chicago, and from 1908 to 1910 was resident physician at the Cook County Hospital. He then became pathologist at the University Hospital, Chicago.

In 1915 he was appointed assistant professor of hygiene at the Ohio State University, and since 1920 has held the professorship in that subject.

In 1913 he was director of the survey of occupational diseases, and he has also been director of the occupational diseases clinic at the Rush Medical College, Ohio.

Professor Hayhurst is a member of most of the important American medical associations, and he has written several books on the subjects which have been his special study.

QUIDNUNC.

RELIC OF BORDER WARFARE GONE.

After an occupation of over six years of a wing of the Enniskillen Workhouse buildings, the Ulster Special Constabulary have left it. During the border warfare this wing was occupied by a headquarters staff, two platoons and wireless.

YACHTING CRUISE AMONG SCOTTISH FJORDS.

The British and Irish Steam Packet Company, Ltd., announce that the s.y. Killarney will leave Liverpool on September 14th and September 22nd on a seven-day yachting cruise among the Scottish fjords. The fares, from £8 8s., include a saloon return from Dublin to Liverpool. A descriptive folder may be obtained from 16 Westmoreland street, Dublin.

DEATH OF EXPLORER'S MOTHER.

CAPTAIN SCOTT'S ANTARCTIC EXPEDITION RECALLED.

The death took place at Rothesay yesterday of Mrs. Bowers, aged eighty years, mother of Lieutenant Bowers, one of Captain Scott's companions in the ill-fated South Pole expedition in 1910-12. Lieutenant Bowers, with Captain Scott, Captain Oates, and the two other members of the party, which left Hut Point in November, 1911, for the South Pole, perished on the return journey in the spring of the following year after finding records showing that Amundsen had reached the coveted goal before them.

FEMALE CENTENARIAN.

KNOWS WHEN TO HOLD HER TONGUE.

"I keep my senses and can talk to people. What's more, I know when to shut up talking," said Mrs. Esther Humphries, of Yew Tree Inn, Bromwich, who yesterday celebrated her 102nd birthday.

Mrs. Humphries has been bedridden with rheumatism for five years, but otherwise she is fairly well, and takes a keen interest in passing events. She is a native of Moxley, Wednesbury, where she lived nearly all her life. Left a widow 43 years ago, she had no children, but is proud of her 40 nephews and nieces.

Woman appears to be doing everything possible to destroy in herself those very characteristics that make her beautiful:—*The Pope.*

We want the lot for the lot.—*The Communist candidate for Aberdeen.*

RUNAWAY HUSBANDS.

SOME HEARTLESS FUGITIVES.

(*By "EX-DETECTIVE INSPECTOR."*)

PEOPLE have absolutely no conception of the immense number of men who, having sworn to love and cherish their wives, give effect to their vow by running away from them and leaving them to their own resources or the tender mercies of the poor law. I estimate that an army of 250,000 men could be entirely recruited from the ranks of the runaway husbands of Great Britain, who, it is to be hoped, would show more courage in the face of the enemy than in the face of their wives. If we take into account not only the wives, but the children whom they leave in the lurch, the families of British runaways would be quite sufficient to re-people Liverpool and Manchester.

That I am not exaggerating will be evident when I say that London alone supplies nearly 50,000 of these renegade Benedicks, and three out of every five of their abandoned families are known to the poor law officials. The worst of it is that these domestic fugitives can rarely be brought to account. Perhaps, two out of every five deserted wives and their families become chargeable to the parishes, and thus a very unfair burden is thrown on the rates; while the men whose duty is thus cast on an innocent public are, many of them, living in comfort, if not in luxury. Of course, warrants are issued by hundreds and thousands for the arrest of the fugitive, but they are rarely effective; and very little of the cost of maintenance is ever recovered by the local authorities. Even in the case where a man relents and wishes to resume his responsibilities, he manages to smuggle his wife and children away without the knowledge of the Board of Guardians; and the husband has the satisfaction of knowing that he has been relieved for a time, at any rate, from his matrimonial burden.

MAKING AMENDS.

Sometimes the runaway turns up, and makes amends in the most honourable way. About thirty years ago a mechanic in the Midlands disappeared one fine day, leaving his wife and only child—an infant daughter—destitute and at the mercy of the parish. Nothing was heard of him for many years, and meanwhile his wife had died in the workhouse, and his daughter, a chronic invalid, was left there to grow to womanhood. A few years ago the absconder made his appearance in the guise of a man of considerable wealth. It appears that he had emigrated to the United States, and had gradually won his way to a large fortune as a storekeeper. It was only when he was retiring from business, with a fortune estimated at half a million, that it occurred to him to find his wife and daughter; and thus, after many years, the girl, now a woman, found herself translated from poverty to wealth by a father whom she had long considered dead.

In many cases, as may be imagined, the wife is enabled with a brave struggle to maintain herself and her family, and her chief fear is that the runaway husband may come back to reap the fruits of her industry. I know one such case in which a man, after basely deserting his wife for a dozen years, reappeared to find her the proprietress of a flourishing hotel, with considerable savings well invested. The scoundrel installed himself in the hotel, and by his conduct succeeded in driving away the customers to such an extent that within a year it had to be closed. The wife had not the heart to begin the struggle again. Her savings were soon exhausted, and within five years her rascally husband, having accomplished her ruin, deserted her again, leaving her to die broken-hearted in the workhouse.

It is not by any means always the poor man who runs away from his wife. I have known many prosperous men who have done it, and without any conceivable cause, except a love of change. One well-to-do city man disappears regularly for about a year at intervals of two or three years, without the least warning or any disagreement with his family. On one occasion I ran across him during one of his absences, and recognised the truant in a waiter in a Paris restaurant. I addressed him by name, but he affected ignorance and assured me that "Monsieur was quite mistaken." When I appeared next day at the restaurant my bird had flown, and within a week I met him in Cheapside as flourishing and amiable as ever. Of course I said nothing about his mysterious double in the Paris restaurant.

LONDON THEATRES.

THE ITALIAN MARIONETTES AT THE NEW SCALA

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Tuesday.

The Italian Marionettes now being presented at the Scala Theatre are reported to be "the best in the world," and, after seeing their indescribably clever performance, I can well believe it.

The little puppets are past masters in the art of burlesque. They are essentially of the theatre, and their mimicry of familiar figures is altogether delightful.

Last night the clever troupe presented a version of "The Geisha," with the unseen singers keeping perfect time with the movements of the dolls; "The Marionette Music Hall," the whole of which is a perfect joy, and a marionette ballet, "The Excelsior."

Bil-Bal-Bul, the self-complacent little acrobat, with his wonderful muscles and his wonderful feats, remains the most popular and the most laughter-provoking puppet of the lot.

Mr. Amilcar Mariani thanked the audience on behalf of his assistants and himself for their enthusiastic welcome.

"THE ADMIRAL'S SECRET."

"The Admiral's Secret," a new farce-melodrama, by Cyril Campion and Edward Dignon, presented at the "Q" Theatre, opened fairly well. The first act contained some genuinely humorous lines and the promise of some thrills. The thrills duly materialised, but they were not thrilling, and the humour petered out sadly. Even the character of the Admiral, which was drawn with a sure touch in the beginning, got curiously out of hand and became unconvincing.

Briefly, the story describes how an old admiral, with a pretty daughter, a devoted man-servant, and a past, has acquired by somewhat questionable means a jewel of great value, known as "the Star of Peru."

Various peculiarly-coloured gentlemen are seeking this ornament, and invade the Admiral's country home, tie up his servant, nearly abduct his daughter, send his cook into hysterics, and throw knives at the old man himself. After playing hide-and-seek all over the house, they get together and each makes a claim to the star, which the Admiral eventually throws out of the window into the sea—or rather pretends to do so, having a mind to keep what he considers to be his own.

Mr. O. B. Clarence played the Admiral in his inimitably clever manner, and it was not his fault that he looked old enough to be the girl's grandfather. When he had the chance he invested the character with little touches that made it human, but it is small wonder that he appeared bewildered with the impossible happenings. Mr. Edward Dignon, one of the authors, played an eloquent Spanish gentleman, who was not as innocent as he looked, very amusingly; and others in the cast who made the utmost of their parts were Mr. Charles Windermere, Mr. Bruce Belfrage, Mr. Neville Brooke and Miss Doli Maircovna.

Mr. Tom Benjamin Vaughan, of the St. James's Theatre, London, who was connected with the late Mr. Frank Curzon in his theatrical ventures, left £44,688 0s. 1d., with net personalty £42,964 7s. 3d.

BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

DUBLIN (2RN)—319.1 Metres.

1.30-2.0 p.m.—Weather Forecast and Gramaphone Record Recital. 6.0—Gramaphone Concert. 6.15—Uair i dTír na n-Og—Betty Harris, Fay Sargent, Jimmy O'Dea. 7.0—Gramaphone Concert. 7.45—German—O. Von Wenckstern. 8.0—Ireland's Own Band. March, "The God of Thunder" (Howgill); Valse, "Le Patineurs" (Waldteufel); Overture, "Mirella" (Gounod); Selection, "Faust" (Gounod); "Reminiscences of all Nations" (Godfrey). 9.0—C. M. Ni Dhubhghaill. Kickham Centenary Celebration, with vocal illustrations by Kathleen Roddy (soprano) and P. J. O'Toole (tenor). 9.30—Rita Christopher (violin), Miss Geraghty (piano)—Sonata in G Major, Op. 30, No. 3 (Beethoven); Hymn to the Sun (Korsakoff); Obertass, Mazurka No. 16, Op. 19 (Wieniawski). 10.0—Maighread Ni Annagain—Amhrain Gaedhilge—"Casadh an tSugain," "An beinnsin luachra," "Taim-se im' chodhladh," "Ar Eirinn ni 'neosfainn ce h-i" (Clandillon). 10.15—Stephen Jones (bass): "She alone charmeth my sadness" (Gounod), "Vulcan's Song" (Gounod), "Within these Sacred Bowers" (Mozart). 10.30—Weather Forecast and close down.

BELFAST (2BE)—306.1 Metres (980 Kc.).

12.0-1.0—Gramaphone Records. 3.45—The Radio Quartet, John Sowerby (violoncello). 4.35—Pianoforte Jazz by Fred Rogers. 4.45—Ernie Mason's Dance Band. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—Organ Recital. 6.20—London Programme relayed from Daventry. 6.30-11.0—From London. (10.30—Regional News.)

LONDON (2LO)—361.4 Metres (830 Kc.) and DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,604.3 Metres (187 Kc.).

10.15—The Daily Service. 10.30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast. 11.0—Gramaphone Records. 12.0—A Ballad Concert: Frederick J. Firth (boy soprano), Joan E. Turney (pianoforte). 12.30—B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. 1.0-2.0—Frascati's Orchestra. 4.0—Light Classical Concert. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. 6.20—The Week's Work in the Garden, by the Royal Horticultural Society. 6.30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast. 6.45—B.B.C. Dance Orchestra (continued). 7.0—Mr. Herbert Norris: "Dressing Madame Tussauds." 7.15—Moussorgsky's Songs, sung by Tatiana Makushina (soprano). 7.30—Variety. 8.0—B.B.C. Promenade Concert, relayed from the Queen's Hall. Sixth Brandenburg Concerto (Bach); Dorothy Silk (soprano)—"Sighing, Weeping" (Church Cantata No. 21) (Bach); "The Word of God my treasure is" (ditto). Ethel Bartlett, Rae Robertson (solo pianofortes) and Orchestra: Concerto in E Flat (C. P. E. Bach). Orchestra: Fourth Brandenburgh Concerto (Bach): Stuart Robertson (bass). Recit. and Air, "Thou most blest all quickening day" (Church Cantata No. 70) (Bach). Orchestra: Suite No. 5, for Strings and Oboe (Bach, arr. Wood). Stanley Marchant (Organ) and Orchestra: Sinfonia to Church Cantata No. 29, "Wir danken dir" (We thank Thee) (Bach). 9.30—Weather Forecast. 9.45—Promenade Concert (continued). 10.35—Sir William Bragg: "The British Association." 10.50—Pianoforte Recital by Cecil Dixon. 11.0-12.0—Dance Music.

DAVENTRY EXPERIMENTAL (5GB)—491.8 Metres. (610 Kc.)

4.0—Paul Moulder's Rivoli Theatre Orchestra. 5.0—B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. 5.45—Children's Hour. 6.30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast. 6.45—Light Music. 7.30—Cardiff Sunshine Carnival. 9.0—Vaudeville. 10.0—Weather Forecast. 10.15—Dance Music.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—384.6 Metres.
(780 Kc.)

12.0-1.0—New Gramaphone Records. 3.30—The Rydal Sheep Dog Trials. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—London Programme relayed from Daventry. 6.20—Royal Horticultural Society's Bulletin. 6.30—From London. 7.30—Music of the Mountains and "The Marrying of William," a play in one act by L. du Garde Peach, presented by the Station Repertory Players. 9.30—Weather Forecast. News. 9.45—A Ballad Concert. 10.30—Local Announcements. 10.35-11.0—From London.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—297 Metres.
(1,010 Kc.)

12.0-1.0—London Programme relayed from Daventry. 3.30—From Manchester. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—London Programme relayed from Daventry. 6.20—Royal Horticultural Society's Bulletin. 6.30-11.0—From London. (10.30—Local Announcements.)

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—312.5 Metres.
(960 Kc.)

12.0-1.0—Gramaphone Records. 4.15—Music relayed from Fenwick's Terrace Tea Rooms. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—Pianoforte Recital by Leslie Bridgewater. 6.20—Royal Horticultural Society's Bulletin. 6.30—From London. 7.30—Lax and Gilligan (entertainers), Thomas Hopkinson (mouth organ). 8.0-11.0—From London. (10.30—Local Announcements.)

GLASGOW (5SC)—405.4 Metres.
(740 Kc.)

11.0-12.0—Gramaphone Records. 4.0—Station Orchestra. Christine Shepherd (contralto). 5.15—Children's Hour. 5.58—Weather Forecast. 6.0—José Grey (soprano). 6.20—Mr. Dudley V. Howells: "Horticulture." 6.30—From London. 7.30—The Radioptimists. 8.0-11.0—From London.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres (850 Kc.).

12.0-1.0—From London. 2.15—Sunshine Carnival at Clarence Park, Weston-super-Mare. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—From London. 7.30—The Carnival at Night. Relayed to Daventry Experimental from 7.30-9.0. 9.30—Weather Forecast, News. 9.45—The Carnival (continued). 10.45—Dance Music. 10.35-11.0—From London.

TO-MORROW.

DUBLIN (2RN)—319.1 Metres.

1.30-2.0 p.m.—Weather Forecast and Gramaphone Concert. 6.0—Gramaphone Concert. 6.15—Uair i dTír na n-Og—Maire Ni Oisin, Renee Flynn, Mrs. J. Hill Tulloch. 7.0—Gramaphone Concert. 7.30—French: Mlle. Giudicelli. 7.45—History Talk: S. MacCathmhaoil. 8.0—Cormac MacFhionnlaoich: Traditional Fiddle—"Sean O Duibhir" (Fonn), "Mairseail," "Caoineadh" (Fonn), "Set Dances," "An Cailin Ruadh" (Fonn), "Cornphiopai." 8.15—Marcus P. Ruddle (baritone): "Song of Momus to Mars" (Boyce), "O Mistress Mine" (Quilter), "Old Man might have been" (Besley), "The Ballad Monger" (E. Martin). 8.25—Original Compositions: Dr. Annie Patterson, assisted by Chrissie Manning (soprano) and the Alton Trio. Trio—Overture, "The Ardrigh's Daughter"—Edith Alton (violin), Dora Alton ('cello), Dr. A. Patterson (piano). Chrissie Manning: Aria, "Grainne's Love Song" (The Ardrigh's Daughter); Sonata, "Cuchullain" (two movements). Edith Alton (violin) and the Rev. Mr. Shortt (piano). Chrissie Manning—"Nature's Melody." The Alton Trio—Irish Dance Trio (on original reel, jig, and hornpipe). Explanatory remarks by the composer. 8.55—Fay Sargent—Songs and Stories: "Jest her way" (George Aitken), "Thinking of You" (Gladys Ross), "Jeunesse" (K. Barry), "Spare a little love" (M. Gideon), "Ballinderry" (Traditional). 9.5—Val. Vousden (entertainer: "People that I know" (original). 9.15—Grattan Kelly's Dance Band. 10.30—Weather Forecast and close down.

STRANGE INHABITANTS OF DUBLIN "ZOO."

EVIL EYE OF THE HORNED TOAD.

The Reptile House in the Dublin "Zoo" has got five new occupants called horned toads, which are as strange in their appearance as in their habits. They have, as well as tiny horns, a rather spiky appearance all over their small bodies. If anything upsets their tempers, they have a unique method of defence and offence: they are able to shoot blood from their eyes in some mysterious manner. There are blood vessels above their eye-balls, which become engorged with blood until they burst and spray drops of blood for some distance round. It certainly takes a good deal to disturb or even interest them; even a handful of fat worms, their favourite food, would not get any of the family to move yesterday when their attendant was explaining their habits to some visitors. Some ingenious person will have to think out a plan to enrage them; else the alarming method of showing temper that they are credited with will be regarded as an old wives' tale.

NOT A WATER-DRINKER.

A lizard-like creature called a mastigure is another recent arrival. For some reason or other, though it naturally requires water, it never drinks it; so it has to be sprayed with it, so as to absorb it through its pores. Lettuce is the only food it seems to take in the ordinary way.

A cageful of fruit bats was attracting a lot of attention yesterday. The bats were enjoying a siesta when a number of people gathered round, and it was rather difficult to decide what manner of bird or beast they were. At first sight it looked as if someone had hung up a lot of small pairs of goloshes to the roof of the cage. Every bat was hanging by the heels, with his leather-like wings folded over his body, and, if one wakeful youngster had not poked down his head to see what all the fuss was about, they would have remained a mystery.

The warm weather made the monkeys rather languid yesterday: even "Bill" eyed his visitors with indifference, and only in response to repeated appeals and taps at his window would he come and show himself, rolling slowly over and over till he arrived, feet first, at the front of the cage.

WORKING IT OFF.

The tortoise has been a sufferer from that insane desire of the "tripper" to write his usually insignificant name on any space that offers. He was wandering round his little enclosure yesterday with three names written in purple pencil on his horny back, and the indignity he has undergone seems to have made him more active in his movements. I remember hearing that when he arrived in the "Zoo" with a companion, long since "growing daisies"—as Tipperary people poetically refer to the dead—the two were named "Antony and Cleopatra," but no one ever knew which was which. He—or she—seems fated to have a confusion of names.

Two very fierce-looking vultures have come from East Africa. One of them bears the mark of having had a ring on one leg, which it outgrew before the ring could be removed. In consequence one leg has remained swollen, and it moves with a halting gait, but manages to cover the ground very rapidly all the same when it spies anything eatable.

There have been very large crowds in the Gardens lately; last week there were nearly eight thousand, and over the August Bank Holiday the numbers reached nearly twelve thousand.

ROMANTIC SIDE OF MARRIAGE.

RECORDS OF GRETNA GREEN.

(*By THORNTON HALL.*)

IF the thousands of marriage registers scattered throughout England could speak, what stories of romance and comedy and tragedy they could tell! In the volumes alone which record the runaway nuptials at Gretna Green you will find material for a small library of volumes of fascinating interest—from the first entry, which records the union of John Edgar and Jean Scott, who were made one at the very moment when a boat carrying their pursuers was upset in the stormy waters of the Solway, and one of its occupants was drowned, to that runaway match between Miss Caroline Clayton and young Lord Drumlanrig, who raced over hill and dale 300 miles before at last they reined in their foam-flecked horses in Gretna Village one May day eighty years ago.

Every page, indeed, in these fifteen volumes is crowded with similar suggestions of romance. Here, for example, is that dramatic marriage of the gallant and gay Lord Westmorland to "Old Child's" heiress, who crept stealthily out of her father's house at Osterley one dark night, and was whirled away to the border by her lover as fast as four swift horses could carry them, with the irate father in hot, but futile, pursuit. Here is the marriage of Edward Gibbon Wakefield to Miss Ellen Turner, whom he lured from her school at Liverpool under the pretext that her father was dangerously ill, whisked her off to Gretna altar and compelled her to marry him. Here, too, is the entry of that ludicrous wedding of Lord Erskine to Sarah Buck, his housekeeper, to which the venerable Lord Chancellor travelled disguised as a woman.

"CRABBED AGE AND YOUTH."

One need not go to Gretna Green to find romance. There is no register of marriages in any church in Britain that does not contain it in plenty. In a Stepney register, for example, you may see the entry of a marriage between John Jennings and Mary Snow, both of whom had celebrated their 102nd birthdays before they made a joint trip to the altar. The giddy young couple, we read, spent their wedding-day on the river, "the gallant groom rowing his bride with lusty strokes"; and the festive day was concluded by a dance, in which the happy couple circled with the best into the small hours of the next morning.

A Worcester register records the union of a bridegroom of 85 to a bride just 70 years his junior. In a Scottish register you will see the entry of the marriage of "a noted bachelor, W. Hamilton," a man of eighty, of whom we read: "His legs were drawn up to his ears, his arms were twisted backward, and almost every member was out of joint." Yet this "grotesque caricature" of a man successfully wooed and married a charming young woman of twenty, though he had to be carried to the altar on men's shoulders.

ENTER THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

In a Leeds register you will see the entry of a marriage of Henry Howson and Mary Grant sixty years after they had first plighted their troth as boy-and-girl lovers. In a Berkshire church Henry Jackson and his bride, whose joint ages reached 170 years, were followed to the altar by six bridesmaids, the youngest of whom had passed her 70th birthday. Six granddaughters of the aged groom strewed the path to the altar with flowers, and four of the bride's grandsons sang a wedding anthem composed for the occasion by the parish clerk.

The London registers naturally contain many interesting and romantic entries. The early registers of St. George's, Hanover square, for example, are full of them, in the days when Parson Keith waxed rich by linking runaway couples, often at the rate of a hundred a month. On March 4th, 1754, the day before the Act against clandestine marriages came into force, he actually gave his blessing to no fewer than sixty brides.

In later registers the eyes are arrested by such entries as these:—Theodore Roosevelt, "ranchman and widower," to Edith Kermit Carow; Mary Ann Evans (known to fame as "George Eliot") to John Walter Cross; and Herbert H. Asquith to Emma Alice Margaret Tennant. In earlier days we find the marriage records of Sir William Hamilton to Lord Nelson's Emma, and of Benjamin Disraeli to his "pretty flirt," the homely, middle-aged widow, Mrs. Wyndham Lewis.

Mr. Theophilus Coe, who for fifty years has been School Attendance Officer at Leigh, Lancashire, has died at the age of seventy-eight.

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A NEW ELLERMAN LINER.

ORDER FOR BELFAST YARD.

Messrs. Workman, Clark (1928), Ltd., shipbuilders, Belfast, announce that they have received an order from Sir John Ellerman for a vessel of 450 feet, the engines for which are to be 4 cylinder triple expansion type, combined with an exhaust turbine, steam being supplied from high pressure Scotch boilers, fitted with forced draught and superheat. It is understood that the vessel will have a tonnage of about 7,000 tons gross.

Following the recent placing of an order by Messrs. Alfred Holt and Co., Liverpool, with Messrs. Workman, Clark (1928), Ltd., the announcement is of particular interest to Belfast, as it will mean that the new firm which took over the shipyard and engine works this year will be able to commence operations upon a more extensive scale. It also marks the renewal of business relations between the Ellerman group and Messrs. Workman, Clark. The old firm built upwards of thirty vessels for the City Line of Glasgow prior to the acquisition by Sir John Ellerman, who also controls more shipping than any other British owner except Lord Kylsant, including the Ellerman Lines, Ltd.; Ellerman-City Line, Ellerman-Hall Line, Ellerman-Wilson Line, Ellerman-Bucknall Line, and many others.

The last vessels built by Workman, Clark and Co., for the Ellerman group were the City of Venice (8,308 tons) in 1924, and the City of Nagpur (10,138 tons in 1922. These vessels are engaged in the Indian passenger and cargo trade, but the ramifications of the various lines in the group are world-wide. The Wilson branch is chiefly in the Baltic trade, and the Bucknall branch in the South and East Africa trade.

LADY MARY HEATH

TO FLY FROM LONDON TO DUBLIN.

The Honorary Secretary of the Irish Aero Club has received a letter from Lady Mary Heath, the well-known airwoman, expressing her delight that the Club is now established, and stating that she will fly from London to Dublin either to-day or on Thursday. She has asked to be allowed to become a member of the Club.

The Club Committee will await Lady Heath's arrival at Baldonnel.

Inquiries have been received from the provinces as to the possibility of forming branches of the Club. It is early yet to make any statement in this respect, but eventually it is hoped to establish branches in Cork, Galway and other centres.

IMPORTED PEDIGREE STOCK.

VALUABLE CONSIGNMENT FOR FREE STATE.

On Saturday last a very important consignment of pedigree cattle, sheep and pigs arrived in Waterford for distribution through the Free State. Owing to spasmodic outbreaks of disease in England of late years, Irish breeders were unable to obtain fresh blood in their herds, and a decided improvement should ensue in coming years. Many of the stock were from the Royal Show at Nottingham.

The beasts arrived in Waterford on Saturday morning by the Clyde Steamship Company's Ballycotton, and travelled in charge of Mr. J. E. Fitzgerald, Veterinary Department, Dublin. They included a shorthorn dairy bull, which cost 1,000 guineas, for Lord Daresbury, Mount Coote, Kilmallock; three Hereford bulls for Midland breeders, three Hereford bulls, two Hereford cows and one calf for a County Tipperary breeder. The sheep included Oxford Downs, Shropshire, Hampshire, Dorset, horned Southdown, Lincoln, Welsh blacks and ryelands. The Oxford Down ewes were from the flock of Mr. H. Stilgoe, who won the female championship at the Royal Show. A ram from Messrs. Hobbs and Davis' Kilmscott flock cost sixty guineas, and in the consignment calling for special comment were some very fine specimens of the Shropshire breed for Miss Wilson-Slator and Colonel Charteris. The pigs included twelve boars and twenty sows of the large White York breed from some of the most celebrated herds in England, and many of them were prize winners at the Royal Show at Nottingham and cost up to 120 guineas.

On arrival at Waterford the stock was taken charge of by Mr. R. Lynch, Department of Agriculture, Dublin, and Mr. T. Hickey, Department of Agriculture, Dungarvan, and removed to Mr. John D. Palmer's sale yard. After they had been rested, they were despatched on Monday morning to their different destinations.

The stock arrived in splendid condition, and, to show the care that the Department took, all food stuffs were taken from Waterford to London for the feeding of the stock during transit. The railway officials at Waterford greatly facilitated the despatch of the animals.

HOSPITAL AMALGAMATION.

ENNISKILLEN GUARDIANS' VIEWS.

When the proposal of the Committee of Management of the Fermanagh County Hospital for hospital amalgamation in Fermanagh for both medical and surgical treatment, came before the Enniskillen Board of Guardians on Tuesday, Mr. McLoughlin supported the idea, and proposed that the Guardians send delegates to a conference on the matter.

Mr. J. C. Connor proposed that they have nothing to do with the proposal, which was only a dodge which was easily seen through.

Clerk—This scheme would entail the closing of the workhouse hospitals. Where would the old people who are in them go to?

Mr. McLoughlin—They would remain here. It would be a great saving to the rates to have one central hospital.

Mr. Dundas—But there would be the same expense here all the time. This is only a way of getting up money for the County Hospital.

Clerk—We have many cases in here which, if the hospital were closed, would not be accepted at the County Hospital.

It was decided to take no action for the present.

TRADE UNION HEALTH INSURANCE.

The membership was nearly 11,000 at the end of last year, it was stated at the annual meeting of the Irish Trade Union Congress Health Insurance Society, which was attended by forty delegates, representing twenty-seven trade unions. More than £22,000 had been expended in benefits during the year. The annual interest produced by the investments is approximately £3,580.

The report and statement of accounts, together with auditors' reports, were received and adopted, on the motion of Mr. J. Hurley, Cork, seconded by Mr. T. McGrath, Waterford. The amendments of rules relating to payments of delegates and extension of groups were passed, and the Committee of Management was elected as follows:—Messrs. S. C. Bradley (A.E.U.), P. Bridgeman (W.C.M.), J. G. Timmons (Slaters), J. C. Hand (Vehicle Builders), F. Parkes (P.O. Workers), W. Bunbury (Woodworkers), and J. Burne (Seamen). Trustees—Messrs. H. McDermott, E. Hewson, and R. Boyd.

A vote of thanks to the Committee and staff was adopted, on the motion of Mr. McAuliffe, Cork.

SHANNON ELECTRICITY SCHEME EXCURSION.

In view of the very widespread interest being shown in the Shannon electricity scheme, the Great Western Railway Company have arranged a day trip excursion from Bristol and West of England and South Wales stations to Limerick, to give residents in these localities an opportunity of witnessing the stupendous undertaking. On Tuesday next, 28th instant, day trip excursion tickets will be issued which will enable passengers to have about nine hours in Limerick. The fares are remarkably cheap, being 22s. 6d. from Bristol and 20s. 6d. from Cardiff and other stations.

OUTDOOR RELIEF IN BELFAST.

THE CASE OF ABLE-BODIED PERSONS.

GUARDIANS AND SECTION 13.

The Belfast Board of Guardians yesterday again considered the question of outdoor relief.

The Clerk (Mr. R. H. Wilson) submitted a report of the committee appointed to consider matters arising out of an informal conference which was held at the Ministry of Finance regarding the granting of outdoor relief to able-bodied persons. The report stated:—

"The committee having fully considered all matters discussed with the Ministers of Finance, Labour and Home Affairs on Wednesday, 8th August, recommend: That to meet as far as possible the wish of the Minister of Finance, the Ministry of Home Affairs be approached regarding means whereby the Guardians of the City of Belfast can at their discretion, without danger of surcharge grant relief to persons, being heads of families ordinarily resident in the city, who, though unable to get a doctor's certificate of sickness or inability to earn their living, are able to satisfy the Guardians that they are physically or mentally in such a condition that they have not a reasonable chance of, and are handicapped in obtaining, employment, believing that this will meet the most deserving cases of those seeking relief.

"That the Board respectfully request the Ministry of Home Affairs to suggest the means by which this may be given effect to."

AN EX-SERVICE MAN'S CASE.

Mr. J. Wilson (Chairman), in moving the adoption of the report, said the wisdom of this suggestion was more impressed on his mind than at the time it was originally mentioned when the informal conference was held. He instanced the case of an ex-Service man who had been employed for two years, but was turned down and refused unemployment benefit on the ground that he had not made a reasonable effort to get employment.

In view of the fact, said Mr. Wilson, that in not one case but in hundreds of cases of which the members of the Outdoor Relief Committee were conversant in which people had drawn three, four, five, and six years' unemployment benefit, and in other cases for the first seven years had been constantly in receipt of unemployment benefit, grant, or relief job why should a man with a record of war service and consistent work be turned down with less than three years altogether of unemployment benefit?

There were hundreds and hundreds of other persons who had been receiving benefit for five or six years. Therefore, he thought the Guardians should go as far as suggested in the resolution and allow the Ministry of Labour to look after the distribution of unemployment benefit in such a way as there would be no distinctions amongst able-bodied persons. He did not see how it could be consistently advocated that the Belfast Board of Guardians should be asked to enforce Section 13. If the Ministry said that they should do so he could not see how the Ministry could consistently fail to enforce that section in other districts in Northern Ireland. The County Council of Antrim should put Section 13 into force at Whitehouse and Whiteabbey. He had no hesitation in saying that the distress there was greater than in the City of Belfast. How could the Government consistently enforce Section 13, unless they enforced it all over the country? He was more convinced than ever that Section 13 should not continue, and that they should get the powers that they asked for under that resolution.

REPORT ADOPTED.

After further discussion, Mr. Haslett moved an amendment to the effect that in view of the strong representations made to the Guardians to give relief as provided for under Section 13 that the Board apply for the necessary order.

Mr. Collins seconded the resolution.

On a division the amendment was defeated by 15 votes to three, and the report was adopted.

GREENORE RAILWAY AND HOTEL.

PURCHASE BY THE GREAT NORTHERN COMPANY.

The Dundalk, Newry and Greenore Railway system is about to be taken over by the Great Northern Railway Company of Ireland.

Negotiations between the company and the London, Midland and Scottish Railway for the sale of the line to the Irish company have been proceeding for some time, and have now been satisfactorily concluded.

It is presumed that the Greenore Hotel also forms part of the transaction, and that this important concern in future will be under the management of the Great Northern Railway Company instead of the London, Midland and Scottish Railway Company. It is believed that this connecting railway link between Dundalk, Greenore and Newry can be economically managed from Dundalk, and that under the Great Northern Railway Company's management it is anticipated it will have a sound future.

In well-informed circles it is felt that the transfer of ownership may have beneficial results both to Dundalk and Newry.

It is of interest to observe in this connection that the quay owned by the London, Midland and Scottish Company at Dundalk Harbour was recently sold to the Dundalk Harbour Board, a circumstance which foreshadowed the further change now indicated.

DRIVING AT FIFTY MILES AN HOUR.

BELFAST MAN'S MOTOR LICENCE SUSPENDED.

George Savage, Maryville street, Belfast, was fined £5 and costs, and his licence suspended for three months, at Holywood Petty Sessions yesterday, for driving a motor car recklessly.

Lady Davison, wife of Sir Joseph Davison, gave evidence of motoring from Belfast towards Bangor on July 17. On approaching the corner at Seapark, Holywood, she saw two Boy Scouts signal to a car ahead as if something was coming, and a car driven by Mrs. Fulton slowed down. The next thing she saw was a motor car rounding the turn at a tremendous speed. It crashed into Mrs. Fulton's car, and then turned and dashed into the witness's car, considerably damaging it.

In cross-examination by Mr. J. Morris McKee, Lady Davison said that she was no judge of speed, and could not estimate the defendant's speed on that occasion.

Robert McClenaghan, chauffeur to Sir Joseph Davison, gave similar evidence; while John Wheeler, who was in the vicinity at the time of the occurrence, estimated defendant's speed at 50 miles per hour.

The defendant said that on approaching the corner he suddenly saw a car ahead travelling at a very slow speed which seemed to have emerged from Tudor Park Mansions, and on applying his brakes he skidded, thus colliding with the other cars.

MASTER OF SEMPILL AT WEXFORD.

Colonel the Master of Sempill, who has made a tour of Great Britain in a seaplane, and visited Belfast for the Tourist Trophy Race, descended at Wexford on his return, and refuelled his machine with spirit and oil. There was a big gathering on the quay front as the airman made a graceful descent.

Having refuelled and partaken of lunch on his machine he restarted and set out for England.

FOUND DEAD ON THE ROADSIDE.

Yesterday morning Martin Duffy, an old man 69 years of age, was found dead on the roadside near Kilteevan, Roscommon.

At the inquest Dr. Jones expressed the opinion that the man died of heart disease, and a verdict to that effect was recorded.

Mrs. Ada Treadwell, wife of a brass stamper, living at Balsall Heath, Birmingham, has given birth to triplets—a boy and two girls. One of the girls arrived several hours before the other babies.

ULSTER SPORTS WEEK.

MORE MOTOR RACES NEXT YEAR.

The Ulster Automobile Club, recognising the value of the International Motor Car Race of last Saturday to the trade and commerce of Belfast in general, and the motor trade in particular, are about to initiate a movement to have an Ulster sports week next year, including another motor car race.

The Committee which arranges the dates of the premier events in the International Calendar meets in London early in September, and if the claims of Ulster are to be considered it is necessary that there should be early application to the Royal Automobile Club.

Realising this, the officials of the local club are calling a special meeting of the Committee to be held later in the week, when the whole question will be considered.

It is suggested that next year there should be not only the car race, but also the motor-cycle Grand Prix, and possibly a golf championship.

CAPTAIN CAMPBELL'S LOSS.

Before leaving Belfast on Monday evening, Captain Malcolm Campbell, the famous racing motorist, said that he hoped that the part of his Bugatti found by Mr. Pees, near to the scene of the burning, would prove to be the quick release cap of his radiator.

Upon further consideration, however, of the circumstances under which it was found—following an explosion—he feels that it is more likely to be the cap of the petrol tank. There was no explosion whatever of the radiator, which was quite undamaged by the fire.

If the latter view should prove to be the correct one, Captain Campbell is anxious to repeat his appeal, and whoever has the quick release cap made specially for the radiator should return it.

ARMS AND AMMUNITION DISCOVERED.

HIDDEN UNDER A BRIDGE IN COUNTY WEXFORD.

A "dump" containing arms, ammunition and books on military training was discovered at Ryland, about two miles from Bunclody, Co. Wexford, on Saturday, by Detective Sergeant Kirwan, Detective Officer McTernan, Enniscorthy, and Sergeant Austin Kenny, Civic Guards, Bunclody.

The arms included one long Webley revolver, one bulldog revolver .45, a colt revolver, one revolver .22, two automatic magazines and cartridge fillers.

Among the ammunition were 71 rounds of .303, 29 rounds of .45, nine rounds for an automatic, two rounds for an automatic .45, three rounds for a "Peter the Painter," shot gun cartridges, a leather case of buckshot and other articles, including four books on military training.

The "dump" was concealed underneath a bridge where the public road crosses a dried-up stream-bed, and the arms and ammunition were in separate parcels.

SURGEON'S 53 YEARS' SERVICE.

RESIGNATION OF DR. THOMPSON.

Dr. E. C. Thompson, D.L., Omagh, who was a former Nationalist M.P. for North Monaghan, yesterday resigned his position as Surgeon of the Tyrone County Hospital, which he had held since March, 1875.

In his letter of resignation, Dr. Thompson said that it would be a great comfort to him in his retirement to know that he had the great good fortune afforded him of being able to save many valuable lives and to alleviate much suffering.

The Chairman (Captain Hardman, D.L.), paid a tribute to the work of Dr. Thompson in the hospital, and moved a resolution expressing the regret of the Committee at his resignation; placing on record their warm appreciation of his skill and energy during his long and faithful service, and offering him their best wishes in his retirement.

Mrs. Dickie seconded the motion, which was supported by several members, and passed.

CO. WEXFORD MOTOR ACCIDENTS.

THREE DUBLIN MEN INJURED.

While travelling from Wexford in a motor car a commercial traveller—Mr. O'Keeffe, of Dublin—was injured when his car collided with a lorry laden with timber at Ferrycarrig. Mr. O'Keeffe sustained a fractured arm, and has been detained at the County Hospital, Wexford.

Two employés of Messrs. Guinness, when travelling to Tramore, were also injured when their car came into collision with a lorry at Carrigbyrne, Co. Wexford. Both men—Thomas Connor and William Hill, residing in Dublin—sustained injuries, and were admitted to the County Hospital in Wexford.

WICKLOW HOSPITAL CHANGES.

BOARD OF HEALTH'S ATTITUDE.

Dr. Raverty, Medical Officer, Bray, writing to the County Wicklow Board of Health, stated that the serious position as regards hospital accommodation which was likely to arise in the near future should be investigated at once. In his opinion, it was inevitable that some tragic consequence will be the outcome unless arrangements were made now.

Reporting as Medical Officer of Health for Bray, he stated that the establishment of a sanatorium at St. Colmcille's Hospital for cases of pulmonary consumption would be a menace to the health and lives of the people of this locality, and the hospital arrangements as proposed would be utterly unsuited and inadequate for the requirements of the sick poor. He recommended that the strongest possible protest be made again.

Mr. Joseph Metcalfe said that naturally a lot of Bray people objected to the prospect of having patients removed to Wicklow or the South Dublin Union, and there were plenty of places to have a sanatorium without closing down St. Colmcille's. It would all tend to great difficulty and friction, and he held that they should protest.

Mr. C. M. Byrne said that they should request the Department to see that the former arrangements between that Board and St. Columcille's Hospital should continue.

Mr. Everett said that ultimately the Bray people would agitate for a district hospital, which would be very expensive to the county ratepayers. He entirely agreed with the protests made in Bray, and they should ask the Minister what alternative accommodation he proposed to give Bray.

A resolution was passed, on the motion of Mr. Joseph Metcalfe, requesting the Minister to take the necessary steps to see that the arrangements made for the treatment of the sick poor in St. Columcille's Hospital for Rathdown No. 2 area by that Board with the former Rathdown Guardians be continued, and, if not feasible, that he should arrange for treatment in their own area, as the cancelling of the original arrangements would seriously affect the poor of the district, and the Board could not make alternative arrangements without incurring impossible expenditure.

WATER SUPPLY FOR ROSSLARE.

At a meeting of the Wexford Board of Health and Public Assistance, in Enniscorthy, on Monday, Mr. M. Jordan, T.D., Chairman, presiding, a letter was received from the Local Government Department stating that the Minister for Finance had consented to the advance of £8,000 from the Local Loans Fund for the purpose of carrying out the water supply and sewerage scheme for Rosslare. The loan is repayable in twenty-five years at 5½ per cent.

The Lurgan Urban Council have decided to erect seven or eight street telephone kiosks in the principal thoroughfares in the town for the accommodation of the public.

COCKFIGHTING IN THE GALTEES.

CIVIC GUARDS SEE BIRDS KILLED.

RINGSIDE CROWD FROM FOUR COUNTIES.

How a sergeant and a party of Civic Guards were compelled to spend three-quarters of an hour watching a cockfight among the foothills of the Galtee Mountains, nine miles from Tipperary town, was described before District Justice Troy at Tipperary Court yesterday.

Seventeen men hailing from the Counties of Kerry, Waterford, Leix and Tipperary were charged with assisting at the cockfight, which took place at Monour, Co. Tipperary, on 6th June. Incidentally it transpired that the battle was between birds representing Leix and Kerry, and that Leix won after two birds had been killed and one had an eye knocked out.

The prosecution was conducted by Superintendent Keegan, Tipperary, and five solicitors appeared for various defendants.

Sergeant Gerard McQuaid stated that, with a party of Civic Guards, he proceeded to Ballinard, about four miles from Tipperary, and there found a large number of persons assembled. Preparations were being made for a cockfight. Several birds were spurred and ready for the ring. Witness and the Guards dispersed the parties, who then moved off in motor cars and motor omnibuses. The Guards followed them to a place called Monour, five miles further on, among the foothills of the Galtee Mountains.

GUARDS POWERLESS TO ACT.

When the Guards arrived the fight was in progress, and over a hundred persons were present. The Guards approached the leaders, and warned them that they were breaking the law. One of the principals, Thomas Cushion, of Maryborough, asked witness if the crowd refused to disperse would the Guards use force to compel them to do so. Witness said that he had not a sufficient force of Guards for that purpose. The fight then proceeded, and lasted three-quarters of an hour. Two of the birds were killed, and one had its eye knocked out.

In answer to Mr. Nolan, Waterford, one of the solicitors for the defence, the witness stated that Mr. Cushion gave him an assurance that he would see the fight conducted in a "peaceable" manner, and that he would see that the parties would disperse peaceably.

"I suppose you had a very enjoyable three-quarters of an hour?" said Mr. Nolan.

"Not exactly enjoyable," said the witness, "but I had a very interesting experience."

Guard Cullen corroborated the sergeant's evidence.

"A DAY'S ENJOYMENT."

Paul Caulfield, Waterford, one of the defendants, said that while at Clonmel fair on the morning in question he heard that there was to be a cockfight near Tipperary, and he and some others motored there for "a day's enjoyment." He added that he had no monetary interest in the fight.

Questioned as to the size of the ring in which the birds fought, he said, amidst laughter, that it was a "Heeney-Tunney" ring, and was about sixteen feet wide.

James Lawler, Maryborough, said that he was a carpenter, and had been forty years breeding game cocks and following up cock fights. The nine cocks that represented Leix against Kerry were brought there by him. Some of them were his own property, and some of them he had "walked."

In answer to his solicitor, Mr. William L. Ryan, Tipperary, the witness explained that to "walk" a cock meant to train and prepare him for a fight.

"Cocks," he said, "are not like greyhounds or racehorses—they cannot be kept together."

VALUABLE BIRDS.

The Justice asked what was the value of these fighting cocks.

The witness said that the value depended on the "blood" and fighting qualities of the bird. Some cocks were value for from £1 to £25, and even £100. If he had an extremely good game bird he would not sell him for £500. He denied knowing the owners of the Kerry birds, and also the "handler" of the Kerry team. He arranged the main with a man named Casey from Kerry, and with another man whom he believed to be named Leamy, a publican, living near Tralee, who kept greyhounds.

After hearing further evidence, the defendants were fined as follows:—

£5—James Lawler;

£3 each—Thomas Cushion, Maryborough, and Bryan Cunningham, Ballybricken, Waterford, who, it was alleged, took part in weighing the birds.

£2—Denis Toohey, Mountmellick.

£1—Matthew Ryan, Limerick Junction; Patrick Godfrey, Edward M'Grath and Edward M'Cormack, Tipperary.

10s.—Lawrence Cushion, Maryborough, son of Thomas Cushion.

Charges against John Conlon, Tipperary, and Joseph Gubbins, Limerick Junction, who were present at Ballinard but not at Monour, were dismissed.

Prosecutions against four motor drivers who drove the parties to the scene were withdrawn.

SOUTH AFRICAN VISITORS

SIGHT-SEEING IN BELFAST.

Mr. J. E. Vermooten, the Mayor of Belfast, South Africa, who is visiting Ireland, had a further opportunity of seeing various phases of Belfast's activities yesterday.

He and the other visitors were cordially received in the forenoon by the Chairman (Mr. R. E. Herdman, D.L.) and members of the Harbour Board, with whom, after being shown through the Harbour Office, they joined in the formal inspection of the port on the tug Musgrave.

The party then drove to the City Hall, where they were received by the Lord Mayor (the Right Hon. Alderman Sir William Turner, D.L.), the Lady Mayoress, and Miss Turner, and entertained to lunch. Among those present were the High Sheriff (Alderman Mrs. McMordie), Sir Robert and Lady Baird, Sir Robert Lynn, the Right Hon. Thomas Moles, M.P.; Councillor S. D. Cheyne, J.P.; and Captain R. Lilburn Henderson.

The Lord Mayor, in his greetings to Belfast, South Africa, said: We would be destitute of what I might call a sense of local pride and patriotism if we were not deeply interested in the fact that the municipality from which our guests hail was given its name by a Belfastman who, remote from the scene of his early days, wished to perpetuate the name of his old home-town in his surroundings overseas.

A BRIDEGROOM'S ORDEAL.

SUMMER TIME CAUSES WEDDING HITCH.

The refusal of people living in rural Ireland to observe summer time was responsible for an awkward incident at an Omagh wedding yesterday. The bride, who came from the country, apparently believed that the hour of the wedding was fixed by the old time, and she did not reach the church till more than an hour late.

The bridegroom arrived punctually according to summer time, and, after waiting half an hour in an agony of suspense, he collapsed. He was removed from the church by his "best man" and several friends, who ministered to him outside, while an unsympathetic individual threw some confetti on him.

After some time he recovered and re-entered the church. A further period of waiting ensued until the bride arrived an hour after the appointed time.

After explanations the ceremony proceeded without any further hitch.

USEFUL DERRY INSTITUTION.

At the meeting of the Donegal Board of Health at Stranorlar on Monday the Board decided, subject to the Ministry's sanction, to make an annual grant of £50 to the Derry Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital.

Mr. Eugene Mahony said that it was a very decent hospital; for they treated all the poor free.

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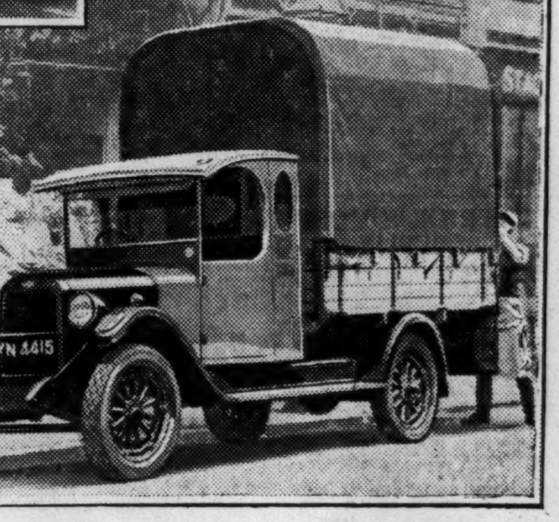

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TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Aonach Tailteann—Swimming, Blackrock Baths, 3 to 6 p.m. Gymnastics, Mansion House, 2.30 and 7 p.m. Boxing, Croke Park, 7.30 p.m. "Kathleen O'Gara" and "After Culloden," Peacock Theatre, 8.
Dublin Union Commissioners.
North Dublin Rural Council, 1.30 p.m.
Town-Planning Association—Visits to Public Buildings.
Gaiety Theatre—"The House of the Arrow."
Theatre Royal—Varieties.
Abbey Theatre—"Juno and the Paycock."
Olympia Theatre—"Tailteann Topics."
Capitol—"The Secret Hour," "The Outlaw Rider," and Varieties.
Metropole Cinema—"The Patent-Leather Kid."
Grafton Cinema—"The Little Snob" and "Pyjamas."
Grand Central Cinema—"The Magic Garden" and "Not for Publication."
Rotunda Pictures—Tunney v. Heeney and "Man Power."
Carmo's Circus—Rotunda Gardens.
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"Wolves of the Underworld."
Plaza Ballroom Open Daily.

The Irish Times.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22, 1928.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Arms, ammunition and books on military training were found under a bridge over the dry bed of a stream at Bunclody, County Wexford.—(Page 5.)

At Tipperary Court yesterday fines were imposed on nine men for assisting at a cock fight, which a party of Civic Guards were compelled to witness without being able to interfere.—(Page 5.)

The rector of an Essex church, who is the son of Mr. E. M. Hutchinson, of Clontarf, Dublin, has disappeared.—(Page 7.)

Plans for the reception of Mr. Kellogg when he visits Dublin next week were approved by a committee which met at the Shelbourne Hotel, Dublin, last night.—(Page 7.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Remarkable scenes of disorder occurred at an extraordinary general meeting of the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.—(Page 7.)

Two young women and two children have died in Perth Infirmary as the result of burns caused by the bursting of a motor cycle petrol tank.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD.

A gang of international forgers have been arrested by the German police.—(Page 7.)

Captain Dyott, the explorer, reports that his party is surrounded by Indians in the Brazilian jungle and in grave danger.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Mallow yesterday Average won the County Cork Plate, Blue Look Out the Rakes of Mallow Plate, Koscie's Star the Kanturk Plate, Dream On the Summer Cup, Dublin Bay the Fermoy Plate, and Melleray's Page the Blackwater Plate.—(Page 12.)

At Stockton Law Suit won the Great Northern Leger.—(Page 12.)

At Wolverhampton War Mist won the Ruckley Handicap.—(Page 12.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were firm. Among Industrials, Tobacco Shares were in demand.—(Page 10.)

Loan and discount rates were comfortable, with overnight money obtainable at the close at 3½ per cent.—(Page 10.)

Dublin Market was small and price movements irregular. Guinness and Textiles were easier, and Gas improved.—(Page 10.)

A Greek Verdict.

M. Venizelos has "come back" with a vengeance. Eight years ago he suffered a shattering defeat at the polls and retired to his native island. To-day, having swept the polls at another general election, he is the undisputed master of Greece. His recent return to politics found a Coalition Government in office. It was not unpopular, and it had a fair record of national service; but it existed by favour of the Royalists, and to M. Venizelos the Royalists are what Carthage was to Cato. In a few weeks he forced M. Kaphandaris to resign the leadership of the Liberal Party, upset the Coalition Ministry of M. Zaimis, became Prime Minister, and, as the head of an *interim* Cabinet, appealed to the electorate. The general election was held last Sunday. Many parties are active in Greece, but the return of M. Venizelos ranged them into two opposing blocks. The one was Republican, under his own command; the other—the anti-Venizelist block—included the Popular and Free Opinion parties and the various groups of Royalists. As a result of Sunday's election the anti-Venizelist parties have been extinguished. There are 250 seats in the new Chamber, and M. Venizelos has secured 228 of them. The followers of M. Kaphandaris have held only four seats, and only two have been faithful to General Pangalos, who, untamed by his recent imprisonment, still brandishes the title of "Military Dictator." Everywhere the rout of the Royalists has been complete. Their former strongholds in the Peloponnese and in the Ionian Islands have deserted them. Only one Royalist leader, M. Tsaldaris—returned by the narrow margin of 130 votes in Corinth—has secured election; and the Royalists, as a parliamentary party, will number only fifteen. Even apart from the allegiance of the smaller Republican groups which supported him at the polls, M. Venizelos may face the immediate future with a tranquil mind; for the victories of his own Liberal followers will give him an ample majority in the new Chamber.

The election seems to prove, in the first place, that Greece remains loyal to her greatest statesman of modern times, although many of the fruits of his statesmanship have been snatched from her grasp. In the next place, it seems to prove that she desires a strong Government and a stable *régime*. No Coalition Government could guarantee stability so long as it contained elements which had dedicated themselves openly to the downfall of the Republic. Now there is a promise of peace for a considerable term of years. The Royalist snake may not have been killed, but it has been scotched effectively; and the new Government, unlike all its recent predecessors, will not be distracted by the attacks and intrigues of a restless Opposition. M. Venizelos has a special incentive to good work for Greece, and he has excellent opportunities for such work. The incentive consists in the fact that the late Government, despite its composite nature, had served the country creditably and was tackling her most urgent tasks with substantial prospects of success. It is only by still better service that M. Venizelos will be able to prove that his intervention was not ill-timed. The opportunities of a Greek Government secure in office, and led by a statesman of international prestige, are inspiring and extensive. Greek industry, afflicted by disastrous wars and by internal disorders, pines for development; but Greece is a poor country, and, if she is to attract financial aid from the world's money markets, she must convince them that she is entering at last upon a period of real stability. Her population has been doubled in recent years as the result of a huge influx of Greek refugees from Asia Minor; and, although the task of settlement, helped by the League of Nations, has made fine progress, it is not yet complete. In these labours M. Venizelos may confer large benefits on Greece, and Europe will note with satisfaction his declared purpose to confine his energies to the economic field. We may hope that foreign adventure has lost its charm for him.

Two Dublins.

The visit of members of the Garden Cities' and Town-Planning Association to the Irish Free State is a happy omen. Among the visitors are the Mayor of Copenhagen and several Danish municipal officials, and representatives of India and of the United States. The party was welcomed by the Dublin City Commissioners, and we venture to discern in Dr. W. C. Dwyer's address hopeful tokens of the early coming of town-planning legislation. Dr. Dwyer mentioned that the interest taken in the housing and town-planning section of the Public Health Congress last week excelled that taken in other sections—evidence that educated public opinion is anxious to see Ireland's present lack of legislation on this topic remedied. He said that the Free State Legislature, since its establishment, had been "more than fully engaged" with other matters. The Legislature has been busily occupied, it is true, in many important works. It has attacked the dearth of houses and it has reconstructed the main roads; but the larger the works of reconstruction to which the Government sets its hand, the greater is the need for foresight. Dr. Dwyer said that "hasty or ill-considered legislation" was undesirable. Yet more undesirable is hasty or ill-considered reconstruction. When the delegates were driven around the newly-built areas in Dublin yesterday, a score of object-lessons in the injury that results from the lack of town-planning legislation might have been pointed. In two of the new suburbs children playing on narrow streets, and rows of houses with their back-windows looking into one another, might have been used as examples of the evils that came from the building of dwellings at a density of 14 and 17 to the acre.

Killester was visited, and here the delegates saw a well-planned new suburb, with ample green space for playing children, and with substantial vegetable gardens attached to every house. The most recent additions to this new suburb, however, are cottages that have neither a water supply nor drainage. Here services essential to public health are lacking; yet, within about half a mile, the visitors were shown Griffith road, a concrete highway one hundred feet in width, over which virtually no traffic runs. Given a town plan, even in rudimentary form, there would be no lavishing of money on costly, idle highways while, in the same neighbourhood, water, drainage, gas and electricity are wanting. Our visitors, if they see in the new Dublin a city that is growing at random, nevertheless will not visit Dublin in vain; for, as Dr. Dwyer pointed out, the older city shows "many examples of the advisability of judicious planning." The wide streets in the centre of the city, and those in some of the old residential areas, give Dublin distinction even in its decay. We doubt not that the contrast between the old Dublin and the new is ever present in the Commissioners' minds. Great reforms have been achieved. The city is clean to-day, and its noisy cobbles are gone. Nevertheless, the Commissioners cannot but be aware that they have opportunities greater even than those which were enjoyed by the builders of the older city, and that they can make but small use of them so long as the growing city lacks a plan and its rulers power to compel conformity thereto. The "town-planners" who visit Dublin this week are the State's reproach. If others come in the next tourist season, we hope that the Commissioners will be able to show them Dublin in course of intelligent remoulding, and new homes rising in new Killesters, set amid fields and trees. Then will our visitors acknowledge that the inheritors of Dublin's natural beauties appreciate and are worthy of them.

Lost Explorers.

More than three years ago an expedition, consisting of Colonel P. H. Fawcett, his son, and Mr. Raleigh Rimell, left England for the interior of Brazil. There are unexplored areas in the basin of the Amazon, and Colonel Fawcett hoped that he might discover some traces of the civilisation of the Incas. The last authentic news received about him was at the end of May, 1925. Since then the reports have been conflicting. A wireless report is stated to have been picked up, some days ago, at Rio de Janeiro, from Commander Dyott, who had organised a relief expedition. This message is to the effect that Colonel Fawcett and his companions were killed by a party of Indians in July, 1925. It adds that Commander Dyott's own party is in a critical position—that some of the men are ill, and that they have met serious trouble from hostile Indians. Although the President of the Royal Geographical Society refuses to despair, the gravest fears are entertained for the safety of Colonel Fawcett's party. The expedition was organised scientifically, and had the approval of the Royal Geographical Society. It was a courageous attempt, planned with care, to discover something about one of the darkest regions of the earth's surface. In these days we can send a letter to South America from Europe, by aerial post, in a little more than a week, but a great part of Brazil remains as unfamiliar to Europeans as it was in the time of Christopher Columbus. Some of the natives who inhabit the Amazon basin are cannibals. Perhaps, at a remote age, this region was inhabited by the Incas or by some other people who attained a comparatively advanced civilisation; and important discoveries may be made there. The exploration of the earth's surface is far from finished. "Some work of noble note may yet be done." Modern explorers may learn at least one lesson from the history of the Italia, as well as from other recent expeditions—the vital value of apparatus for the transmission of wireless messages.

Turkey's Capital.

Angora, the capital of the new Turkish Republic, was an old outpost of the Roman Empire. Its selection as the national capital by Kemal Pasha is a striking illustration of the extent of Roman power and of the strength of Roman tradition. The walls of a ruined temple at Angora still preserve, in Greek and Latin, the proud testament of the Emperor Augustus. After the Turkish conquest Angora became insignificant, and it did not recover any importance until it was connected with the Bagdad railway. Kemal Pasha, in selecting it as his capital, may have been influenced also by the fact that it was difficult to "get at"—a useful fact during the Greek war of 1920-1922. The modern Angora is one of the least interesting of the world's capital cities. It has no natural attractions; yet the energy of one man has endowed it with many of the conveniences and something of the dignity of a modern capital. Kemal Pasha has drained the malarial plain, and thus has made the place reasonably healthy. He has built many broad, well-made roads and solid houses, some banks and Government offices and a Parliament House. There are taxi-cabs and motor 'buses, modern hotels and a cinematograph theatre. In one respect the capital of Turkey is unique: it contains only three statues, and all are statues of Kemal Pasha. The rapid development of a national capital by State action is an interesting experiment in the leisurely East.

PRINCES' AFRICAN JOURNEY.

PREPARATIONS ON A LINER.

The British-India liner Malda is now being got ready at Middlesbrough Dock to take the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Gloucester from Ismailia to Mombassa next month. Six state rooms are being converted into two bedrooms and a sittingroom for the Royal passengers.

The Princes have intimated their desire to be treated as ordinary passengers, and will take meals in the saloon with the first-class passengers.

"We are providing facilities for the Prince to keep himself fit with deck tennis," said Captain Grey, of the Malda, yesterday "and a swimming bath is being made on the well deck. We know that he is a very keen hand at deck tennis."

TAILTEANN DRAMATIC ART CONTESTS.

GLASGOW AMATEURS IN DUBLIN.

There was an added interest in the Tailteann Dramatic Art Competition last night, when a Scottish company appeared on the stage of the Peacock Theatre, Dublin.

The visitors were the Columba Players, from Glasgow, a combination of working-class folk of Irish descent, who took up amateur theatricals only two years ago. They were schooled by Mrs. Whippy, a working shoemaker's wife, who from her girlhood has been engaged in amateur stage work. In neither of the two plays presented were they perfect, but they were so earnest and painstaking that their absence from the competition would have been a decided loss to the development of the taste for the drama towards which the week at the Peacock Theatre has assisted. They made up better than the best of the companies seen so far in the competition.

Their first play was Bernard McCarthy's "The Long Road to Garranbraher," one of the early Abbey productions. In this one got the poignancy of this drama of the sea and of the men of the sea. Mr. Beirne's Skipper Hanley was a fine study of the old man to whom the sea and its honour were more than home and children. The player of the part had been himself a seaman for years. Mrs. Whippy is a fine comedy character actress, whose work in the part of the secondhand dealer was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience.

The second selection was the comedy, "Paid in His Own Coin," a play by a Dublin writer. It is so poor and thin that even experienced actors would hardly make it go. The breach of promise at the end has vitality in it, and the little company rose here to the only chance that the author gives them. Mrs. Whippy was applauded several times for her delightful playing of the old fortune teller, a study abounding in hardly perceptible mannerisms that made up a very pleasing whole. Mr. Neil O'Donnell, as the judge, and Mr. Whippy as counsel for the plaintiff were excellent. The general impression left was that there is in this troupe abundant material for comedy-acting if they set themselves to a work with more in it than is possessed by "Paid in His Own Coin."

To-night's competitors are the Tirconnaill Players, Glasgow.

TOURISTS WHO WANT TO LEARN.

GERMAN STUDENTS AND "FACULTY TOURS."

What are called "Faculty Tours," are specially popular with German students intent on foreign holiday travel. Facilities similar to those expected by the German students are offered in Germany itself to student parties from other lands, and the exchange of visits on these lines now takes place on a large scale. In England the National Union of Students is the body through which many of the tours are arranged.

The German students, it has been noticed, are distinguished from most other foreign student visitors, in having some particular object in view during their tour. They come to study methods of education, the legal system, commercial organisation and industrial methods. In the course of the past few weeks the Union has entertained students of political science from Jena University. A number of students from the Berlin Academic Motor Cycle Club are touring England at present, visiting the principal motor works, and this week a party of thirteen students of the legal faculty of Wurzburg University has arrived in London. Next month there will be a party from the Union of Commercial Graduates; and parties of students interested in mining have been conducted over the big mining centres in the Rhondda Valley.

"Many people have asked us," said an official of the National Union of Students, "whether it is advisable to show foreigners over our British industries and commercial enterprises. These questions, of course, are raising the old German spy scare, with which we were so familiar before the war. Our belief is that nothing is so calculated to remove suspicion as international intimacy.

"The hospitality which we offer students from abroad is offered by these foreign countries to students from England. Many friendships have sprung up between individual members of the various parties, and we hope that when these young students become engaged in industries and become possible leaders of thought and masters of commerce in their own countries, they will look upon England from a different point of view, because of the intimate knowledge which they have gained on these faculty tours."

THE SIMON COMMISSION.

BIHAR AND ORISSA'S DECISION.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

RANCHI, *Tuesday.*

The Legislative Council of Bihar and Orissa, now meeting in the province's hot weather capital, has decided, after two days' debate, and by 50 to 44 votes, to appoint a committee to co-operate with the Simon Commission. A Swarajist amendment in favour of a round table conference was rejected.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The King is out shooting daily at Balmoral, but so far the sport has not been very good.

The Queen, with the Earl and Countess of Shaftesbury and Lady Bertha Dawkins, paid a visit to Romsey Abbey, and was conducted over the building by the Vicar of Romsey. The Royal party also visited Sir George Cooper's residence, Hursley Park, where the gardens are now in great beauty.

Two anniversaries were celebrated yesterday in the Lascelles family—the eighty-second birthday of the Earl of Harewood and the fourth birthday of his youngest grandchild, the Hon. Gerald Lascelles, younger son of Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles.

Mr. Haughton, the United States Ambassador in London, is on his way back from New York in the White Star liner Homeric, which is due at Southampton next Saturday. Sir Cecil Rodwell, Governor of British Guiana, who is coming to England on leave, will join Lady Rodwell next month at Hunstanton, Norfolk.

The Duke of Argyll and his sister, Lady Elspeth Campbell, are in residence at Inverary Castle, Argyllshire, where they will entertain several shooting parties during the early autumn. The Marquis and Marchioness of Londonderry will have a series of guests at Loch Choir Lodge, which, with its extensive deer forests, grouse moors and salmon fishing, they are renting from the Duke of Sutherland for the autumn. Lord and Lady Apsley have arrived at Invercauld House, Ballater, to stay with Mr. Herbert Johnson. Sir Reginald and Lady Wingate are the guests of the Princess Royal at Mar Lodge, Braemar, this week.

The Earl and Countess of Bessborough are spending the autumn at Standstead Park, their place near Emsworth, where they are organising a theatrical entertainment for the first week in September. Among those taking part are Lord Duncannon and his sister, Lady Moyra Ponsonby; the Hon. Geoffrey Browne, the Hon. Mrs. Owen Buckmaster, Miss Wyld, Miss A. Jones, Major Jervoise and Messrs. A. Ponsonby and Alderson.

Lord and Lady Vaux of Harrowden, who have been paying visits in the North of Ireland, are staying with Lady Denys-Burton at Pollacton, Carlow.

Field-Marshal Viscount Allenby will spend the next few weeks in Perthshire, where Viscountess Allenby will join him to-day. Lord Dalmeny is visiting his father, the Earl of Rosebery, at Dalmeny House, Edinburgh. The Dowager Lady Glentanar has arrived at Glenmuick House, Aberdeenshire, for a stay of some weeks. Lord Brooke and his brother, the Hon. Richard Greville, are spending their holidays at Bordeaux. The Hon. Mrs. Stanhope Tollemache and Miss Rhona Tollemache have left Bentley Manor, Ipswich, for Aix-les-Bains.

Sir Richard and Lady Magdalen Williams-Bulkeley have left Cowes, where they spent the yachting season on their steam yacht Titania. Lord Tweedmouth returned to Cowes from Amsterdam on his yacht Tiercel, and will leave to-day for Cornwall. A number of yachts, with their owners on board, are still at Cowes, where the season was pronounced to be the most successful for many years.

The marriage arranged between Dinnen Burns, younger son of Reverend and Mrs. John Dinnen Gilmore, of 36 Victoria road, Rathgar, Dublin, and Mary, only child of Mr. Charles George Warner and the late Mrs. Warner, of Boden Park, Rathfarnham, County Dublin, will take place on 11th September at Harcourt street Baptist Church.

Dr. T. O. Graham has returned to 61 Fitzwilliam square.

Dr. Speares has returned to 38 Merrion square.

In their Costume Gallery, Switzers are showing some very attractive Tailor-made Coats and Skirts in Clerical Grey, Navy and Brown; also a number of smart Heavy Tweed Costumes suitable for the shooting season. The prices are quite moderate.

New Autumn Millinery and the latest versions of the feather-weight Velours, Felts, and Sports Wear have arrived.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 Sth. Gt. George's st.

Forrest's are now making in their Costume Department young ladies' Day and Evening Gowns from 3½ guineas.—100 Grafton street.

Special show of Earrings.—Chancellor, 7 Grafton street.

Royal Hibernian Hotel and Salthill Hotel, Monkstown. Meals interchangeable between both hotels. Wedding Breakfasts and Public Dinners a speciality.

Advice as to Sale.—Before Selling or Buying Pictures, Old Silver, Glass, China, Furniture, Books, Jewellery and Chattels of all kinds, those concerned should obtain the best advice as to values. For qualified expert opinion apply to Bennett and Son, Limited, Auctioneering and Valuing Consultants, 6 Ormond quay, Upper, Dublin. Founded 1803. 'Phone 376.

PASSENGERS BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals:—C. R. V. Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Whelan, Dr. E. Mannix, David E. Grey, Sir Charles Langham, E. A. Wale, John Peters, the Rev. James McVetty, Miss E. Hamilton-Hunter, Dr. P. J. Duggan, A. J. Connolly, the Rev. C. P. Flynn, the Rev. H. Vos, Dr. T. S. Marron, Mr. and Mrs. C. Gordon Newsom, Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Fee, Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Feeney, Professor John J. Feeney, A. Alfred Dickie, K.C.

Departures:—Mr. and Mrs. Horne, L. Lanigan O'Keeffe, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bright, H. Jackson, J.P.; Captain L. T. Neary, Mr. and Mrs. P. Rooney, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Pierce-Thomson, the Aga Khan, Captain and Mrs. T. Birkin, Major and Mrs. Van Neck, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Cullinan, Mrs. W. S. Kelly, the Rev. J. Sinclair Stevenson, Mrs. and Miss Sinclair Stevenson, Major R. W. H. Jackson, Lady Woodhouse, G. J. Hathaway, Dr. and Mrs. J. McCormack.

PASSENGERS BY THE B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

Arrivals—Mr. J. C. Purcell, Miss O'Donnell, Mr. J. Mitchell, Mr. J. McKenzie, Mrs. E. H. Long, Miss I. M. Johnston, Miss J. Jamison Mr. T. Grinstone, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert, Mr. A. Edwards, Mrs. Cattermole, Mr. T. Birch, Mr. J. Brierley, Mr. L. Brady, Captain A. S. Gordon, Mr. T. Gray, Mr. R. Hawkins, Mrs. Steele, Mr. J. Summerville, Mr. J. O'M. Skelton, Mrs. Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, Dr. Robinson.

Departures—Lady Greer, Mr. T. Goddman, Miss M. Manning, Mr. T. Montgomery, Miss Gibney, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, Mr. J. Devine, Mr. V. Smith, Colonel Stevens, Mr. T. Turner, Dr. and Mrs. Barry, Mr. A. D. Ward, Mrs. McKeever, Miss H. Laurie, Mrs. M. O'Sullivan, Miss M. O. Lindsay, Mr. J. F. Leland, Mr. and Mrs. Ward, Mr. F. M. Reilly, Mrs. Molloy, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Byrne, Mr. E. L. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. Du Boulay, Mr. J. B. Stevenson, Dr. Carty; Mr. T. Sherwood.

Wear Pretty Polly Pure Silk Stockings, stocked in newest colourings. Famous for wear and smart appearance. Sizes 8½ to 10 inch. Prices, 5s. 11d., 6s. 11d., and 7s. 11d. per pair. Sole Agents—McBirney and Co., Aston's quay.

Habits—Mr. Allardyce will be here to the end of August to make Habits.—Mumford, Ladies' Tailor, Furrier, 18 Suffolk st., Dublin.

Costumes, cut and made by men. Tweeds, 6 gns.—Thompson's, 8 Westmoreland street.

Now showing, perfectly Tailored Coats in the New Tweeds. Several sizes. Prices from 5½ gns.—Margaret Watson, 17A Dawson st.

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TO LADIES.—Elastic Stockings. Belts and Medical Appliances. Artificial Silk Elastic Stockings, flesh, without seam, unnoticed with modern hosiery. Special department for ladies on first floor. Lady Attendant.—Fannin and Co., 41 Grafton street.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—The depression off Tynemouth is moving slightly eastwards and filling up, and a deep depression is indicated far out on the Atlantic, with a secondary approaching our South-West coasts. Rain will spread eastwards over Southern districts within the next twenty-four hours, but a temporary improvement is probable in Scotland.

North-West, North-East, South-East and South-West Ireland.—Wind backing south, moderate or fresh; cloudy; some rain; rather cool.

Sea Passages.—Irish Sea, crossing from Holyhead, Heysham, Stranraer, Glasgow, Ardrossan and Liverpool—Wind west, backing south, moderate; cloudy; some rain; visibility moderate; sea moderate.

St. George's Channel, crossing from Fishguard—Wind south to south-west, fresh or strong; some rain and mist; perhaps fog patches; sea rather rough.

Dixon and Hempenstall Barometers and Thermometers. 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

THE SUN.

To-day....Rises	6.16	Sets	8.38
To-morrow "	6.18	"	8.36
Lighting-up Time			9.38

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.

To-day.....Morning	4.26	Afternoon	4.46
To-morrow "	5. 6	"	5.31

LONDON LETTER.

THE UNEMPLOYMENT PROBLEM.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,

TUESDAY NIGHT.

It is to be hoped that Mr. Baldwin's appeal to British employers to co-operate in relieving the burden of unemployment in the distressed areas will not fall on deaf ears. The great problem of the workless has assumed such proportions that it no longer can be left to solve itself. No mere temporary depression has to be faced. Unemployment has become an apparent permanency and it must be dealt with drastically, however painful readjustments in our industrial economy may be. No assistance towards the solution of this desperate position may be sought from those critics who would rather make political capital out of unemployment than cure it, and who have stubbornly fought every suggestion to find miners, for instance, work outside their own poverty-stricken districts. Employers, no doubt, will respond to the Premier's appeal to the utmost.

The Pact Against War.

Fifteen Governments in all will send representatives to Paris next Monday to sign the Kellogg Peace Pact, and there will be an opportunity later for the whole world to adopt it. Russia, Spain and the Scandinavian nations are the principal European Powers who will not be among the signatories, other absentees being the Central and South American States and China. Mr. Kellogg will have to hustle on this side to complete his programme. According to present arrangements, he returns to America by the Leviathan on September 4, which will give him very little time to squeeze in the Dublin and London visits after the Paris business is concluded. If he possibly can manage it, and Sir Austen Chamberlain has not sailed on his sea voyage, Mr. Kellogg intends to motor down to Sussex to pay a friendly visit to the Foreign Secretary.

The Elections in Greece.

Surprise over the Greek elections is not that M. Venizelos has scored a victory, but that his triumph has been so great. Last week's forecasts of the results were definitely in his favour, though his most optimistic supporters never suspected such an utter rout of the Royalist Party. Even the strongholds of the Royalists have succumbed to the man who made so dramatic a re-entry into the political limelight three months ago after many years' defeats at the polls, and he now commands in the Greek Chamber an overwhelming majority.

"The President Maker."

The late Colonel George Harvey made great numbers of friends during his brief term as United States Ambassador in London. He was the best type of American gentleman, with all the typical dynamic energy and keen sporting instinct of his countrymen, but with a fine urbanity, a polished intellect and perfect tact. Though he looked, even to his horn-rims, the real "hundred-*per-cent*. American," he was one of the foremost critics of Dr. Woodrow Wilson and the League of Nations; but he never ceased to cultivate good relations between this country and his own. He was an enthusiastic admirer of England, and even risked the obloquy of his own people by appearing in Court dress at big London functions. America knew him as "the President-maker," but London as a very human golfer, with an amiable preference for "hard" drinks.

King's Regulations

The long overdue new edition of the King's Regulations for the British Army has made a welcome appearance. The old edition was so packed with amendments that it contained almost as much fresh as original print. Several pages at both the front and back of the new book have been devoted to advertising matter, an innovation that is bound to be regarded by some of the older mandarins as tantamount to sacrilege. With virtually one exception, the advertisements are of a sartorial nature, presenting the respective merits of military outfitters to their prospective customers. The one exception proclaims the advantage of Empire wine. When the Post Office dared, in one of its publications, similarly to advertise a proprietary brand of whiskey there were such protests by the temperance party that the offending announcement was withdrawn.

Harvesters for Canada.

A misunderstanding has come to light with regard to the number of British harvesters required for Canada. From a statement issued to-day on behalf of the Canadian National Railways it would appear that in the view of Dominion transport undertakings the maximum number of men they were in a position to deal with was 6,000, and not 10,000, which was the number mentioned in the recruiting particulars. Recruitment appears to have stopped at 8,500 on account of transport difficulties; but, fortunately, all the men have a prospect of being absorbed, particularly as reports from Winnipeg continue to speak highly of the present type, which is of a far higher standard than that which crossed for the harvest in former years.

The Abbey Pavement.

Visitors to Westminster Abbey in future will be able to view a priceless work of art—the pavement of porphyry, serpentine glass, mosaic and purbeck marble, which was laid down before the high altar 660 years ago. The original appearance of the pavement before time and wear dulled its lustre must have been magnificent. It was highly polished, and a brilliant mirror-like effect was produced. The Dean and Chapter of the Abbey in their desire to give the public opportunities of seeing this treasure have arranged for the carpets which protect it from the feet of communicants on Sundays to be removed every Monday morning and replaced at the end of the week in time for the Sunday Services.

Aerial Manœuvres.

The mimic air warfare over London did not end the manœuvre period so far as the Royal Air Force is concerned; for a large number of machines will take part in the Army manœuvres, which will extend until late in September. In addition to the Army co-operation squadrons supplementary units have been placed at the disposal of the War Office by the Air Ministry for the purpose of taking part in the operations. These units include fighter, day bombing and night bombing squadrons, and the co-operation between the two services thus will be closer than originally was planned.

Orientalists and the Bible.

Orientalists from all parts of the world will assemble in Oxford next week for a great Oriental Congress. It is anticipated that some of the papers will throw a new light on the Bible. Dr. B. Jacob will address the members on the literary unity of the Biblical flood story, while Professor Dr. A. S. . Yahuda will give an outline on his discoveries as to traces of Egyptian influences in the Pentateuch, which tend to upset some of the theories of the higher criticism as to the age of that document. He will have some remarkable suggestions to make concerning an Egyptian overlay of the flood story, having discovered that the Biblical chronology of the flood coincides absolutely with the rise and fall of the Nile.

The Free State Central Savings Committee announce that the sales of Savings Certificates up to Saturday last amounted to £4,082,913, representing 5,268,275 Certificates, which is equal to an investment of £1 7s. 5d. per head of the population of the Irish Free State. Repayments amounted to £678,207, leaving a balance remaining invested of £3,404,706.

EXPLORERS IN PERIL

IN THE JUNGLES OF BRAZIL.

WIRELESS S.O.S.

SURROUNDED BY INDIANS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Tuesday.

It is stated that the radio station on the Para frontier has received urgent signals for help from the party headed by Commander Dyott, which set out last March to search for Colonel Fawcett, the British explorer, who went on an expedition into the dark jungles of the Brazilian interior in May, 1925, and was killed by wild Indian tribesmen two months later.

The Commander states that he is surrounded by Indians. The wireless signals which the Para station is reported to have received come from about the same place where Colonel Fawcett was slain.

Colonel Fawcett, a noted British explorer, his son, and Mr. Raleigh V. Rimell left England more than three years ago to find a lost city in the heart of Brazil.

Commander G. M. Dyott is the chief of a relief expedition who set out, at the request of Mrs. Fawcett, to find the missing explorers. He was married on the eve of his departure for Brazil last February, and fears are entertained for his safety. A secret map enabled him to trace the explorers, who set out in the hope of proving that South America and not the Valley of the Euphrates was the cradle of civilisation.

BRITISH EXPLORER'S FATE UNKNOWN.

UNBROKEN SILENCE OF THREE YEARS.

"There may still be a doubt. Even now it is not wise to assume that Colonel Fawcett is dead."

Sir Charles Close, the President of the Royal Geographical Society, made this statement yesterday, in discussing a report regarding the fate of Colonel P. H. Fawcett, the British explorer, and his companions in the jungles of Brazil. The report is to the effect that a wireless amateur at Rio de Janeiro picked up a message from Commander G. M. Dyott, head of the relief expedition, saying that Colonel Fawcett was killed by Indians in 1925.

Colonel Fawcett, accompanied by his son and a Mr. Raleigh V. Rimell, left England in 1925 to try to discover the lost cities of the Incas, built during a prehistoric civilisation. They disappeared in May of that year.

"The Royal Geographical Society had no share in the organisation of the expedition," Sir Charles Close said, "but, like all expeditions of a serious kind, it had our goodwill. Since Colonel Fawcett's disappearance we have had so many reports of a different character that it is not really safe to come to a definite conclusion. There may still be a doubt.

"VERY INTREPID."

"I knew Colonel Fawcett a little. He was very intrepid, and was quite prepared to go anywhere in the jungle. I do not know anything about the relief expedition."

Sir Charles Close has himself done exploration work in Africa.

Colonel Fawcett was a native of Torquay. He spent most of his early years at Teignmouth, and both he and his son were educated at Newton College. He was always adventurous, and he discovered many local curiosities of historical interest, among which were relics of the Roman age, now in the British and Exeter Museums. Colonel Fawcett was the son of the late Captain and Mrs. Boyd Fawcett, of Teignmouth, and his sister, Mrs. B. M. Fortescue, still lives at Teignmouth.

Authoritative reference is made in the February issue of the "Geographical Journal," the organ of the Royal Geographical Society, to Colonel P. H. Fawcett.

"Colonel Fawcett," states the "Geographical Journal," "warned his friends before starting that they must not be surprised if they did not hear from him for two years or more, and they all like to hope that his long absence should be interpreted as an indication that he had succeeded in his quest rather than that he had failed. They must, however, by this time be anxiety for his condition, if not for his fate."

"From a first attempt in 1920 he was compelled," it continues, "to return by the breakdown of his companions—a thing not unusual in those who have tried exploring with Colonel Fawcett, who was prepared to travel lighter and fare harder than most people would consider either possible or proper. He returned to England, and busied himself with warnings to friends.

A NEW ATTEMPT.

In May, 1924, the Society's Expedition Committee, "having carefully considered a detailed memorandum submitted in explanation of the plan, and heard further particulars from Colonel Fawcett in person, reported to the Council that, in their opinion, the proposed expedition was very desirable from a geographical point of view, and the Council thereupon decided that it was their duty to give the plan their approval and moral support."

The Society bought £100 worth of new instruments for Colonel Fawcett, who, with his companions, travelled *via* Rio de Janeiro to the Paraguay, and thence to Cupaba. From Cupaba the leader of the party wrote to the Society on March 7 a letter, in which he said: "We are here at stepping-off point collecting animals or a start into the forests at the beginning of April, when the dry season may be said to commence.

"There has been unusually little rain this year, which is to the good, and everything seems to point to making a most advantageous inception of the expedition. All our equipment is here, undamaged, and instruments are in good order.

A PRIMITIVE PEOPLE.

"I do not think it is at all probable we can get any information back from in or beyond the region of these primitive people—the people who, the writer explains, have the unpleasant habit of carrying their victims threaded on a bamboo, or slung to it by the tendons or the arms and feet, feeding on them in a state of decomposition—but I shall attempt to get it out through the agency of Indians if I can. The party are all fit and well, and consist, as you know, of my son and Mr. R. Rimell. They are strong, and capable of great endurance.."

Later Colonel Fawcett stated that his guides, who were becoming nervous, were to return, and that he doubted whether he would be able to send off any more news.

"From this date," says the journal, "30th May, 1925, there is no news of the expedition to which any credence can be given."

CAPTAIN COURTNEY'S FLYING BOAT.

EXTENSIVE REPAIRS NEEDED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

MONTREAL, Tuesday.

Captain Courtney's Napier-engined Dornier Wal flying boat, which had been picked up by the ss. Valprato where it came down on August 2nd, five hundred miles from the Newfoundland coast, arrived here to-day. After examining it, Captain Courtney said that repairs would cost from £2,000 to £2,400. The newspapers had appealed for funds for the purpose, but if they were not forthcoming the boat would have to be scrapped.

He added that he was considering a fresh Trans-Atlantic attempt if the aircraft were repaired. His backer, Mr. Elwood Hosmer, of Montreal, had already spent £15,000 financing the flight.

Three cases of smallpox, all in one family, were discovered yesterday at Chadderton, near Oldham.

MISSING RECTOR MYSTERY.

POLICE SEARCH.

PROPOSED HOLIDAY IN IRELAND.

Search is being made for the Rev. Franklin Hutchinson, the Rector of Doddinghurst, Essex, who disappeared on July 25th, intimating that he was going to see his parents in Ireland. His father, Mr. E. W. Hutchinson, of Fernside, Vernon avenue, Clontarf, Dublin, however, told an *Irish Times* representative last night that he had not heard from his son—who had not been in Ireland for some years—since Easter.

It has been ascertained (says the Press Association) that he sent a letter to the chaplain to the Bishop of Chelmsford, announcing his intention of resigning the living owing to difficulties, and also saying that he "might end things." The envelope bore the Rotherham, Yorkshire, post mark, but no address was given.

The Rev. Franklin Hutchinson, who is about 50 years of age, ministered in Ireland, England and Australia. He married, some years ago, an Australian woman whom he met during his ministry in Australia. There were no children.

For a number of years past he was proprietor of St. Peter's College, Lewisham, where there was an average attendance of about 200 pupils.

Before he was made Rector of Doddinghurst, which is a comparatively recent appointment, he ministered in Yorkshire, while from 1918 to 1919 he was curate at the Mariners' Church, Belfast.

POLICE GUARD AT THE RECTORY.

DISAPPOINTMENT AT SMALL CONGREGATIONS.

Doddinghurst is a scattered village, with a few hundred inhabitants, about a mile from the main road from Brentwood to Chelmsford, and three miles from the nearest railway station. Recently, however, it has been the scene of busy activity. Surrounding land has been sold for building purposes, and houses and bungalows have sprung up along the road to Brentwood, adding a number of city workers to the parish. The church, which is more than five hundred years old, is one of the most picturesque in Essex.

THE BREAKFAST TABLE.

When the rectory was opened it was found in a state of disorder, with the breakfast table uncleared and the remains of a meal on the table, just as it had been left a month ago.

"I think the rector was rather disappointed in the parish when he first came here last September," a resident at Doddinghurst Hall, a large mansion facing the rectory, said to a Press Association reporter last night. "He seemed concerned at the smallness of the congregation and the prevailing apathy in the parish. On one occasion he said in the pulpit that it was the wickedest parish he had been in.

A BRILLIANT PREACHER.

"He was a man of boundless energies and remarkable powers. Besides being a brilliant preacher, he was willing to do any task for the benefit of the parish.

"The church was in need of cleaning and the churchyard was overgrown when he first came. He appealed for volunteers to remedy this, and himself set the example. I have seen him with his coat off sweeping out the church and weeding the churchyard.

"He always had a cheery word for everyone, however, and would go to any trouble to help one of his parishioners. His personality had a remarkable effect, and the congregations at the church were larger during the latter months of his rectorship. When he left for his holiday we understood that he was going to Ireland.

HIS FAVOURITE DOG.

"Two days before he left we were surprised to learn that he had given his favourite dog, 'Imp,' to the village postman. We could, none of us, understand this, as he and his dog, a great Dane, were inseparable, and we often heard him say that his dog was one of the best friends he had.

POLICE GUARD.

"Soon after he left for his holiday we were surprised to find a constable on guard outside the church, and we learned afterwards that the rectory had been broken into by the police. The policeman remained on guard for several days and nights."

POLICE SEARCH.

At the request of the Chief Constable of Essex, a search has been made for the rector in the Swinton district of Yorkshire, but the police have found no trace of him.

WOMAN SECRETARY'S STATEMENT.

A statement has been made to the police by Miss Thickett, the rector's secretary. She stated that while she was travelling between London and Doddinghurst with the rector, he suddenly stopped the car at Bishop's Stortford and got out. He then said that he was going to Dublin for a holiday and disappeared.

The rector, when he left on July 25th, had arranged with the clergyman of an adjoining parish to take the services on the two Sundays that he would be away.

On Sunday, August 12th, the congregation assembled in the expectation of seeing the rector back, but he did not appear, and the service was abandoned.

ORDAINED IN 1914.

The Rev. F. Hutchinson, who was ordained in 1914, ministered as Curate, respectively, at St. Paul's, Bendigo; St. John's, E. Malvern; Zion Church, Rathgar; Mariners' Church, Belfast; and St. Alfedge, Greenwich.

From 1918 to 1919 he was Vicar of St. Petrox, and during that period also performed the duties of Vicar of St. Barnabas, Dartmouth. He was chaplain of the Old Dreadnought Hospital, Greenwich, from 1917 to 1918. In 1921 he was made Vicar of Swinton, in the Diocese of Sheffield.

In 1915 he became a Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society.

ALPINE ACCIDENTS.

TWO STUDENTS PERISH IN STORM.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

ZINAL (VAL DANNIVIERS), Tuesday.

The bodies of two students from Neuchatel, called Lueba and Reymond, who have been missing since last Wednesday, were found to-day on the glacier to the east of the south-western *arête* of the Besso—12,058 feet.

It is supposed that they were overtaken by a storm in which they perished.

GERMAN ENGINEER'S DEATH.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

GENEVA, Tuesday.

An engineer from Berlin, whose name is given as Kurt, who was making electrical studies with a professor on Monte Genoroso, on the Italian-Swiss frontier, fell yesterday evening 150 feet from a rock, and was instantly killed.

ILLNESS OF GENERAL SMUTS,

PRETORIA, Tuesday.

General Smuts, the Leader of the Opposition in the Union Parliament, is suffering from a severe attack of influenza.

AIR LINES TO IRELAND.

GERMAN FIRM'S SCHEME.

The *Daily Express* states that Germany, which already controls the civil air lines of Central Europe, is now making a great bid to establish air lines from Ireland to the Continent across the very heart of England.

The plan, which is that of the Junkers firm, is for a service from Queenstown to Northern Europe by way of Dublin, Liverpool and Hull.

A connecting line from Hull to London would link up Paris, Berlin and Vienna in the scheme.

FORD FACTORY FOR ESSEX.

REPLICA OF GREAT DETROIT PLANT.

Blast furnaces, steel rolling mills, and a large power station are included in the Ford plans for new works on the Essex banks of the Thames, at Dagenham, states the *Industrial Daily News*, which adds that preparations are in hand for an early start on the construction of the works.

The factory will be a replica on a smaller scale of the great Detroit plant, and will completely transform the semi-rural aspect of the riverside flats.

COTTON MILLIONAIRE DEAD.

CHAIRMAN OF MESSRS. J. AND P. COATS.

Mr. William Hodge Coats, the chairman of Messrs. J. and P. Coats, Ltd., the famous cotton firm, who died at Glasgow yesterday, aged 62, was one of the wealthiest members of a family which has probably provided more millionaires than any other family in Great Britain. The Coats family is rivalled in wealth only by the Wills family, the Bristol tobacco magnates.

He was the son of Mr. Archibald Coats, the first chairman of the company, and became a director in 1895, and chairman in 1922. His only son was killed in the war.

The following list shows the estates of eight members of the Coats family whose wills have been proved at over a million pounds:—

Lord Glentanar	£4,642,263
Mr. Peter Coats	£2,526,270
Mr. James Coats	£1,964,745
Sir James Coats	£1,773,870
Mr. Archibald Coats	£1,499,125
Mr. Daniel Coats	£1,234,802
Sir T. Glen Coats	£1,674,806
Mr. W. A. Coats	£3,936,085

It is computed that the State has received in duties from the estates of members of the family nearly £5,000,000.

EXPLOSION OF PETROL TANK.

FOUR PERSONS KILLED.

Four people—two young women and two children—have died of injuries caused by the bursting of a motor cycle petrol tank in a house at Dunshalt, near Auchtermuchty, Fifeshire, last Monday night.

Robert Lockhart, a moulder, was soldering the tank in the kitchen of his house when the petrol caught fire and the tank exploded. The other persons in the kitchen were Robert Lockhart's wife, his daughters—Janet, aged four-and-a-half, and Ellen, aged six years—and his sisters, Euphemia and Sophia Lockhart. All six were severely burned, and, after treatment by a local doctor, they were taken to the Royal Infirmary, Perth.

The two children and Euphemia and Sophia Lockhart died during Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart still are seriously ill.

When the explosion occurred Robert Lockhart was almost blinded by smoke and flames, and his clothes caught fire. He tried to open the door, but, finding that the handle had been blown off, he broke the window and got out.

Neighbours hurried to the house, smashed in the door and windows, and found the Lockharts lying on the floor and their clothing on fire. Ambulances were called and the injured were taken to the infirmary, where the two children and Mr. Lockhart's two sisters died yesterday.

The condition of Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart is described as critical.

CONVICT'S DYING MOTHER.

SON REFUSED PERMISSION TO SEE HER.

An appeal to the Home Secretary to reconsider his refusal to allow Wilfred McCartney, who is serving a ten years' sentence for espionage, to see his mother, Mrs. McCartney Manners, who is critically ill in Middlesex Hospital, was telegraphed by Mr. George Lansbury, M.P., yesterday.

The Home Secretary has replied: "Much regret, I cannot alter my decision, which was given after fullest consideration."

Mr. Lansbury stated last night: "Although there is no law which says that the Home Secretary can allow a prisoner out temporarily, prisoners have been granted this privilege in circumstances which, in my judgment, were less urgent than in McCartney's case."

U.S. PRESIDENCY.

MR. HOOVER'S SUCCESSOR IN THE CABINET.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

President Coolidge to-day accepted the resignation of Mr. Hoover as Secretary of Trade and Commerce, and announced the appointment in his place of Mr. William F. Whiting, of Holyoke, Massachusetts. Mr. Whiting arrived at Superior, Wisconsin, the President's summer residence, this morning, and the oath of office was administered at the Executive headquarters.

Mr. Whiting, who is 65 years of age, and was educated, like the President, at Amherst College, is a wealthy paper manufacturer, being President of the William Whiting Manufacturing Company. An intimate personal friend of President Coolidge, he has long been active in Republican politics in Massachusetts, and was a delegate to the Kansas City Convention which nominated Mr. Hoover, but he has never sought office.

President Coolidge, in a telegram accepting Mr. Hoover's resignation, expressed his appreciation of his public services as being of great benefit to the commercial life of the nation, and as having given a new impetus to the country's entire business structure.

He declared that Mr. Hoover's knowledge of the mechanics of business and government was unsurpassed, and that it would always be a satisfaction to have had the benefit of his wise counsel in meeting the problems which have arisen during his administration.

The message concluded:—"My best wishes will always attend you in the broader field to which you have been called."

MR. KELLOGG'S VISIT.

PLANS FOR PUBLIC RECEPTION.

TIME OF ARRIVAL AT KINGSTOWN.

A PEN OF PEACE.

A salute of guns will be accorded to Mr. F. B. Kellogg, United States Secretary of State, when he arrives in Kingstown Harbour next Wednesday on the cruiser Detroit.

It is planned that the American statesman will be met on the pier by members of the Free State Cabinet, and that, after the presentation of addresses of welcome by the urban councils of the townships, he will be the central figure in a public procession to Dublin. Here he is to be presented with the freedom of the city, after which a State banquet will be held in his honour, to be followed by a public reception at the Plaza Ballroom.

These arrangements were submitted to and approved last night by a meeting of Dublin citizens at the Shelbourne Hotel. The meeting was presided over by Mr. M. P. Rowan, who explained that Mr. Kellogg was due to arrive about midday next Wednesday, and that consequently there was little time to spare in making suitable arrangements for his reception.

APPEAL TO THE PUBLIC.

The attendance at the meeting included:—

Sir John Moore, Sir William Taylor, General Eoin O'Duffy, Mr. Bolton C. Waller, Senator Douglas, Messrs. Vincent Rice, A. Byrne, Batt O'Connor and O. Esmonde, T.D's; Dr. Walter Starkie, District Justice Reddin, Major Arthur Whewell, Dr. Coffey (President, University College, Dublin), Mr. Michael McDunphy (Assistant Secretary of the Executive Council), and the three City Commissioners.

A general reception committee having been constituted, an executive committee was formed to work out the details of the arrangements submitted to the meeting. It was decided to ask the general public to co-operate whole-heartedly in the reception of Mr. Kellogg, especially in the matter of decorations, in which connection the reception committee is to have the material assistance of the Aonach Tailteann Committee.

FREEDOM OF THE CITY.

Both arms of the defence forces will take part in the reception of Mr. Kellogg at Kingstown, where also, it is expected, a joint address of welcome will be presented by the urban councils of the different townships.

At some stage of the procession into the heart of the metropolis the freedom of the city will be conferred on the distinguished visitor.

On the same evening President Cosgrave (who is to accompany him from Paris to Ireland) and the members of the Cabinet will give a State banquet in his honour, and subsequently there will be a public reception at the Plaza, to which 1,500 or 2,000 invitations will be issued.

The committee formed at the Shelbourne Hotel last night consists of Mr. M. P. Rowan (chairman), the three City Commissioners, Mr. Michael McDunphy (Assistant Secretary of the Executive Council), Mr. J. J. Reddy, Mr. Fintan Fitzpatrick, and Mr. Denis Barrett.

A PEN OF PEACE.

LE HAVRE'S GIFT FOR MR. KELLOGG.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

Across the front page of the Matin runs a photograph of what at first sight looks rather like a section of an opium pipe or umbrella handle.

This is really a massive chiselled gold fountain pen which the town of Le Havre intends to present to Mr. Kellogg on his arrival, with the request that he and the other delegates will use it for the signature of the Anti-War Pact next Monday.

The pen is inscribed, "The town of Le Havre to the great artisan of peace, His Excellency Monsieur Kellogg, August, 1928." On the case is embossed, "*Si vis pacem para pacem* (if you want peace prepare for peace)."

The pen ends in a knob, on which is a seal engraved with Mr. Kellogg's monogram. It is not yet certain what time the Ile of France will arrive at Le Havre, but she is expected early on Friday.

Mr. Kellogg will doubtless travel to Paris with the Canadian Prime Minister, Mr. McKenzie King.

THE DETROIT SAILS.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

The United States cruiser Detroit, flying the flag of Rear-Admiral Burrage, commanding the division cruising in European waters, has sailed from Cherbourg for Havre.

After the signing of the Peace Pact in Paris, Mr. Kellogg and Mr. Cosgrave, President of the Irish Free State Executive Council, will go to Ireland in the Detroit.

A POISONED PIN AT A DANCE.

ALLEGED PLOT TO KILL MEXICAN PRESIDENT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

MEXICO CITY, Tuesday.

Seven women and five men were to-day arrested and charged with plotting to slay President Calles and General Obregon during the visit of those leaders to the town of Celaya in April.

According to the police, a twenty-one-year-old girl was to poison them by scratching them with a poison pin while dancing with them.

[General Obregon was shot dead at a restaurant near Mexico City on July 16th.]

ABSCONDING CASHIER.

£100,000 MISSING.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BUENOS AIRES, Tuesday.

The police are looking for the cashier of a well-known exporting firm, who has absconded with no less than 500,000 pesos (£100,000).

ROMAN CHARACTERS FOR TURKEY.

BOOKS TO BE PRINTED IN ENGLAND.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Tuesday.

With characteristic energy, Turkey is busy, in accordance with the recent decision of the Ghazi, spreading the use of Latin characters instead of the Arabic script which hitherto has been employed in Turkey. Government departments in their purchases are giving preference to publications printed in the English style, and it is intended to have a number of Turkish classics printed in England. Special courses have been started to enable officers and men in the Army to learn the new characters.

"GET OUT, LORD BANBURY!"

PEER SAID TO BE AN "OFFENCE."

ANGRY WOMEN AT R.S.P.C.A. MEETING.

An extraordinary general meeting of the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, held at the Hotel Cecil, London, yesterday, proved extraordinary in more senses than one.

After ten minutes of pandemonium, during which women jumped on to chairs and fists were shaken at Lord Banbury, the chairman, he and the Council gave way to insistent demands that another chairman should preside, and walked out.

The meeting, according to the agenda, was the sequel to a stormy meeting in May, which was closed down "owing to noise and interruption," and which was followed by proceedings in the High Court. It had been called to consider resolutions which, if passed, would have had the effect of introducing the right to vote by proxy and to elect members to the Council at the annual meeting by poll.

BABEL BEGINS.

Lord Banbury and members of the Council had hardly reached the platform when the few cheers which greeted them were drowned by a babel of shouts and hisses.

As Lord Banbury took his place the Hon. Stephen Coleridge jumped up, and, in a loud voice, exclaimed: "I propose that Mr. Wallis Grain take the chair."

This proposal was the signal for shouts between the supporters and opponents of the chairman and the Council. Lord Banbury called for order, but his voice was scarcely heard in the increasing din. Women jumped on to chairs, hissed and waved their agenda papers frantically at the chairman, and men shouted to him to leave the chair.

"GET OUT, LORD BANBURY."

Mr. Hubert Stephens, who seconded the resolution, repeatedly said to Lord Banbury: "You cannot remain in the chair. You cannot do it. You have not been elected."

Lord Banbury said sharply: "I shall not put that question. I am not going to leave."

This was received with further shouts and cries of "Get out, Lord Banbury."

When Mr. Stephens put the resolution a sea of hands went up. There were cries of "Carried," and, to Lord Banbury, "Sit down, will you?"

The chairman stood surveying those present. A long line of people, fashionably-dressed women and men, formed up in front of the table and tried to shout Lord Banbury down when he picked up a typewritten paper and attempted to read it. For several minutes his lips could be seen moving, but not a word could be heard of his speech.

BANBURY CROSS.

Mr. Grain went on to the platform and stood behind Lord Banbury's chair. Turning sharply round, the chairman exclaimed: "Who the hell are you, sir? Get out of the way."

There were loud cries of "Shame!" and "A disgraceful thing to say."

One woman called out: "How dare you use the word 'hell' when ladies are present? You ought to be ashamed of yourself."

Another woman exclaimed: "Look at him. Look at the man who uses the word 'hell.'"

After some minutes, during which the noise continued, Lord Banbury laid down the document, which he had apparently finished reading, and left the meeting, accompanied by the majority of the Council.

Mr. Wallis Grain then took the chair and, addressing the meeting, said: "I ask you to be calm. I ask you to discuss this calmly."

"BULLS OF BASHAN."

A Voice—After shouting like Bulls of Bashan for half-an-hour you ask us to be calm?

This was the signal for a fresh outburst of cheering and counter-cheering, during which there were cries of "You are not our chairman."

Mr. Grain then put to the meeting the question of whether he had their confidence in the chair.

There was a further babel of voices, after which Mr. Grain declared that, in view of the "overwhelming number" expressing a desire that he should remain in the chair, he proposed to carry on. The reason, he said, for the breaking up of the last meeting was due to the unreasonableness and autocratic manner displayed by Lord Banbury.

"He has again shown a lamentable lack of good temper and tact to-day by giving me a dig here"—indicating his ribs—"and swearing at me."

While Mr. Grain was endeavouring to explain the legal position in regard to his taking the chair he was interrupted by shouts of "We want to hear Lord Banbury."

"DRIVING TO DISASTER."

The Hon. Stephen Coleridge said that the custom of accepting the elected chairman would have been continued so long as the chairman continued to be impartial and did not make contentious speeches. "When the chairman did that, we had to turn to the law for aid."

Lady Cory said that she came specially to beg the meeting to pass a vote of censure on Lord Banbury for his leadership, which was leading the Society to disaster. ("Hear, hear," and "Shame.") "We are driving to disaster as fast as we can," she said.

Mrs. Penn Gaskell said that Lord Banbury did not want peace. "He simply wishes to continue as dictator. We have not got a Council. We have merely got a body of people who think they must stand by a poor old man who has worked so long. That is a mistaken sentiment." (Cheers.)

LORD BANBURY AN "OFFENCE."

Mrs. Gaskell, continuing, said that the Society had not at the moment even a secretary—he was a private secretary to Lord Banbury.

Sir James Douglas remarked that Lord Banbury had been "an extreme offence to the Society."

The Rev. G. B. Bourchier, speaking on a resolution concerning proxies, remarked: "I say it in no unkind way that we shall have no peace until Lord Banbury is ready to go." (Cheers.) He then proposed an amendment that, "in order to end the unhappy disputes which are having such disastrous effects on the Society's work," the meeting should adjourn *sine die* so that the vital changes proposed could have more careful consideration.

The amendment was carried, with few dissentients, and the meeting ended quietly.

MOTOR CAR STRIKES TREE.

CAIRO LADY KILLED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

DIJON, Tuesday.

Signora Rosi, wife of an Italian doctor from Cairo, died this afternoon of injuries sustained in a motor accident earlier in the day, on the road between Plombières-les-Dijon and Dijon. The accident occurred while a car which her husband was driving was [illegible] another car. Dr. Rosi's car struck a tree at the roadside, and Signora Rosi was thrown out and sustained a fractured skull. Dr. Rosi and his daughter were slightly hurt. The family were spending the holidays in France, and were on their way to England.

LATE NEWS.

CHINESE OUTLOOK.

ROOM FOR CAUTION.

The Times observes in a leading article:—Our Special Correspondent at Nanking lends a qualified and conditional support to the high hopes on the situation in China which many persons, with the amplest and the most authoritative information, appear to cherish. They are mainly based on an expectation or a supposition that the Nanking Nationalist Government will at last furnish that single and stable authority over a unified China with which all the Powers are eager to negotiate a real and permanent settlement. Unhappily there are circumstances which suggest that hopes of the kind may, perhaps, be premature—that the wish for such a Government may be the father of the thought that it exists or will very soon exist.

There are an immense number of men—stated to be 2,000,000—under arms in China, and at least four separate military authorities. They sometimes bargain with each other, and sometimes they fight. There is Mukden, as well as Nanking; there is Hankow, there is Canton, with Li Chai-sum, and there is Peking, with Feng Yu-hsiang. The session of the Kuomintang Central Committee has once more exhibited the deep divisions which rend the party, with a "moderate" section at one end and a Bolshevist section at the other. Besides these divisions of principle, there are those between Generals and civilians and between the rival Generals and the rival civilians.

The general position has slightly improved, but there is still plenty of room for caution.

SEARCH FOR MISSING AIRMEN.

DENMARK'S ASSISTANCE SOUGHT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

COPENHAGEN, Tuesday.

The American Minister in Copenhagen, on behalf of the United States Government, to-day officially requested the assistance of Denmark in the search for the last airmen, Mr. Bert Hassell and Mr. Cramer.

The Greenland Administration subsequently telegraphed to the local authorities in Greenland to make inquiries in all likely localities outside the ordinary routes, and also to order the captain of the steamer Gertrud Rask, when sailing from Julianehaab to Denmark, to look out for any traces of Hassell's aeroplane.

AMUNDSEN'S FATE.

KRASSIN'S SEARCH TO CONTINUE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

MOSCOW, Tuesday.

Referring to the reported declaration by Dr. Nansen that the search for Captain Roald Amundsen is almost hopeless, the Soviet Rescue Committee says that, however slight the chances of the rescue of Captain Amundsen and Major Guilbaud or the members of the Alessandrini party may be, in the interests of humanity the Soviet Expedition feels obliged to continue the search.

The ice-breaker Krassin is now repaired, and will leave Stavanger on Wednesday. The Committee is of the opinion that the state of the ice in September will render the task of the Krassin more difficult.

WHALER JOINS IN SEARCH.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

OSLO, Tuesday.

The whaler Heimland, chartered by the French Republic to assist in the search for the last Arctic explorers, attempted during the last few days to get through to King Charles Land, but was effectively stopped by pack ice at a position given as latitude 78 degrees .03 minutes north, longitude 24 degrees .04 minutes east. It appears to be impossible for the vessel to reach King Charles Land from this side.

It is intended that the whaler shall now search the interior of the Great Fjord.

JOURNALIST RESCUED.

LEFT ON UNINHABITED ISLAND.

OSLO, Tuesday.

A *communiqué* issued by the Admiralty here states that the Dutch journalist, M. Van Hogendorp, who set out for Spitzbergen to get a "story" about the Italia and has been missing for some weeks, has been saved by a Norwegian whaler.

During the past few days the Norwegian steamer, Michael Sars, has been searching the passages to the south-west of Esperance Island and the various hutments on the island itself, in the hope of finding some trace of Captain Amundsen and his companions of the Latham aeroplane, who were lost in their attempt to find the crew of the Italia. No trace of the missing airmen was found.

While the searchers were on Esperance Island they found a letter, dated 1928, from Van Hogendorp, who stated that he had been disembarked on the island in mistake for Southern Spitzbergen, and had neither arms nor provisions.

Although the whole island was searched, no one was found, and it was assumed that he had been picked up by a passing ship, which was correct, as shown by a later message.

A NOTABLE FLIGHT.

2,000 MILES IN TWO DAYS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

A notable flight concluded at Le Ciotat, near Marseilles, last evening.

M. Nogues, piloting a commercial flying boat, left Beyrouth on Sunday morning, and arrived and moored off Corfu the same evening. He left Corfu yesterday morning and arrived at eight in the evening at Le Ciotat, near Marseilles.

The total distance covered in the two days was two thousand miles.

GIRL PRISONER'S ESCAPE.

NO CLUE TO HER WHEREABOUTS

Mollie Josephine West, the eighteen-year-old London waitress, who on Monday escaped from the custody of a woman police matron outside Winchester Railway Station, was still at large last night.

Neither the Winchester nor the Southampton police, who are continuing a vigorous search, had any news of the fugitive and no clue to her whereabouts.

KING ALFONSO PHONOFILMED.

SANTANDER, Tuesday.

King Alfonso had the novel experience of speaking into the phonofilm, one version of the device which films movements and records the voice at the same time. The occasion was an exchange of greetings between the King and the United States Ambassador in connection with the ocean yacht race for the King Alfonso Cup, which ended here. Both King and Ambassador were filmed and recorded their addresses.—(Reuter.)

BANK FORGERS ARRESTED.

AN INTERNATIONAL GANG.

HAUL OF HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Tuesday.

A gang of international forgers which, during the past few years, has, it is alleged, defrauded banks throughout Europe of hundreds of thousands of pounds sterling by means of forged letters of credit, has at last been run to earth by the German police, in co-operation with the detectives of the Deutsche Bank, and its chief members have been arrested.

Last month an elegantly-dressed man appeared in the Munich branch of the Deutsche Bank and presented a letter of credit on the Yokohama Specie Bank for £5,800, on which he drew £1,000. The next day the same man appeared at the Nuremberg branch of the bank, and demanded £1,500 on the same letter of credit. He presented a passport in the name of Ivano Alessi, as proof of identity, but, becoming alarmed at the absence of the bank official who was examining the letter of credit, fled without waiting either for the money or his passport.

The same day another member of the gang drew 1,500 dollars from the Dresdner Bank in Munich on a Mexican letter of credit, which appeared to be in perfect order.

A COURT JEWELLER.

Alessi was arrested a few days ago in an Italian restaurant in Berlin, and was found to be a man named Luigi Milani, who is wanted by the Italian police for fraud and forgery, while a second man, arrested at Frankfurt, is Ugo Marchesini, aged sixty-five, at one time court jeweller in Rome.

It was also discovered by the police that Marseilles was the headquarters of the gang, and the police of that city have arrested a third man, Alfredo Palmeri, and are searching for five other members of the same family.

By means of quartz lamps, the police discovered that the letter of credit on the Yokohama Bank was a real one, on which the name of the owner and the credit sum had been altered.

The break up of this dangerous and clever band of forgers is hailed by the Berlin police with the utmost satisfaction, as all the police forces of Europe have been after them for years without success.

NEW FRENCH COINS.

SEVENTY-FIVE ARTISTS AT WORK.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

France is preparing for a new gold and silver currency which will not, however, be issued until next year. Seventy-five artists are at work on plaster models of the new coins, designs for which must be submitted on September 4th to a jury of artists. The coins which it is proposed to issue are hundred-franc pieces in gold and pieces of ten and twenty francs in silver. A jury of eleven members will select three designs for silver coins. Specimens of each of these designs will be struck by the Mint, and the Minister of Finance will then select one of each which will be coined.

It is provided that the new coins must bear on one face the head of the Marrianne, the symbol of the Republic, this head to be turned toward the left in the case of gold coins. They must also be so shaped that the edges are slightly thicker than the highest point of the images stamped upon them, the object being to prevent the designs from becoming defaced. When once the designs have been selected the Mint will begin striking the coins at the rate of about four tons of new money per day. The metal will consist to a large extent of old gold and silver coins which, after being hoarded for years by people who had more faith in metal than in paper money, were called in and now lie at the Mint.

Some idea of the extent to which coins have been hoarded may be gained from the fact that within two weeks the Mint received seven hundred thousand francs in silver money which disappeared from circulation during the war.

HOTEL ROBBERY AT LE TOUQUET.

TWO MEN AND A WOMAN ARRESTED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

LE TOUQUET, Tuesday.

Mr. William Ritchie, a British visitor here, went to bed at his hotel late on Sunday night, leaving his evening clothes on the back of a chair and a lounge suit hanging behind the door. In the morning he found that both had disappeared. The lounge suit contained in one pocket a wallet holding 6,400 francs, and the evening trousers contained two wallets holding £110 and £34 respectively. Mr. Ritchie discovered the two wallets containing the English money lying on the floor. It is presumed that the thieves picked up the evening trousers by the legs, and that the wallets fell on to the carpet unnoticed by them.

Mr. Ritchie is golf professional at Addington, and is now stopping at the Hotel de la Forêt here.

The Le Touquet police this evening arrested a man suspected of being concerned in the burglary. He is alleged to be a dangerous international criminal, and is suspected of having been involved some time ago in the murder of Jeane Ponseele, of Lille, whose throat was cut in the Rue Alphonse Mercier. Another man, called Van Denabeene, who was recently arrested at Dakar, has been brought back to Marseilles in connection with this crime. A Frenchwoman has also been arrested.

INTERNATIONAL LAW CONGRESS

STOCKHOLM, Tuesday.

The thirty-fourth session of the Institute of International Law opened here to-day, under the presidency of M. Hammerskjold, Governor of Upsala. Seventy delegates are attending, including representatives of Japan, China, and North and South America.—(Reuter.)

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MORE SOVIET RAIDS FOR TREASURES.

WORLD REVOLUTION.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

RIGA, Tuesday.

Confronted with the problem of financing foreign branches of the Communist International for carrying on Communist propaganda for revolutions and class warfare abroad, the Soviet Government has decided to make another levy upon the fabled wealth of the Russian Orthodox Church. This decision is due to the unanimous demand of the many-coloured delegates now attending the sixth congress of the Communist International at Moscow for increased subsidies for their work abroad. Requests from the European delegates for cash were squelched a few days ago, but as one of the chief points in the discussions at the congress was the revolutionary possibilities in Colonial countries, the delegates from India, Egypt, South Africa, and also China and South America, who consider themselves as being exploited by world capitalists, have been making insistent demands for Soviet gold roubles. So the Government has assigned certain Cheka detachments to the work of collecting more money and valuables from the churches, and the work will be carried on under the direction of the Government Fund Commission, which is really the official Bolshevik treasure-hunting department.

The Commission has ransacked the palaces of the Grand Dukes and other Russian nobles for hidden cachés of treasure, and as far back as 1921 it began to confiscate the wealth of the churches. Under the supposition that the priests hid much treasure in and around the church buildings, the Cheka detachments have been assigned to search once more the cathedrals, convents, monasteries, and churches, in whose possession, the Government believes, still remain enormous sums of money, golden religious objects, and precious jewels.

As a preface to this campaign, archbishops, bishops, and other higher clergy have been confined by the Cheka in cells for cross-examination.

COLONIAL VIEWS.

During the past week the Communist International has been hearing reports of the delegates from colonial countries. The Hindu delegate, Naraijan, declared that the greatest obstacles to revolution in India were the increasing investments of capital in his country, which improved the conditions of the workers and also strengthened Britain's *prestige* amongst the intelligent classes.

In order to increase the speed of the approaching revolution, delegate Naraijan asked for a larger appropriation of money to consolidate the various revolutionary movements in India into a whole. The Egyptian delegate, as at the last Congress, pleaded for more money to convert the Nationalist movement into a big organisation for class warfare.

Whilst the Palestine delegate demanded that the Soviet Government should stop supporting the Nationalist movements in Palestine, Egypt, and Near Eastern countries, and give the money instead to organise the revolutionary elements in these countries into a single body.

The Chinese delegates again requested more funds in support of the revolutionary movement in China, and the South American delegate pleaded for cash, promising to consolidate all the revolutionary elements in South America, and stage successful revolts and organise a union of Socialistic South American States which would soon have the capitalistic United States on her knees.

The South American delegate declared that the Communist slogans: "Rob the Landowners" and "Nationalise the Banks," were popular amongst the Latin-American proletariat, and fresh subsidies were needed to hasten the outbreak of class warfare, which would turn South America "Red."

Even the American delegate asked for funds to create a negro Soviet Republic, reporting that American workers were heartily supporting the negroes in their efforts to obtain independence.

LONDON CRANE ACCIDENT.

VERDICT AT THE INQUEST.

A verdict of "accidental death" was recorded at the resumed inquest yesterday evening on Arnold Max Franz (41), builder's labourer, Sherbrook road, Fulham, and James Montague Dawson (44), constructional engineer, Radbourne street, Parson's Green, the victims of the crane collapse in Tavistock square, London, on August 3.

Mr. E. Chancellor, an expert witness, expressed the opinion that the broken shackle was made of common iron.

Answering the Coroner, he said that from the appearance of the breaks a higher or better class of iron would have been safer.

Mr. G. Stevenson Taylor, Superintendent Inspector of Factories, Home Office, said that a specification for the design of derrick cranes had been recently issued by the Home Office. This showed that steps had been taken to try to eliminate, as far as possible, the serious accidents in connection with crane failures.

To their verdict the jury added that one cause of the accident was an error of judgment on the part of those responsible in not using a seventh guy.

MR. CYRIL TOLLEY.

ENGAGEMENT BROKEN OFF.

The engagement announced at the end of last year between Mr. Cyril Tolley, the golfer, and Miss Dolores Rudd, sister of the well-known runner, Mr. B. G. Rudd, has been broken off. Mr. Tolley, who is now in North Berwick, said last night that the marriage would not take place. He declined to make any further statement. Miss Rudd is an attractive South African girl. She met Mr. Tolley while he was on a golfing tour in South Africa.

Cyril Tolley won the British Amateur Golf Championship in 1920, and has represented Great Britain against America on five occasions. Tolley was a member of the British team which toured South Africa last year, and was selected to play against America at Chicago in the Walker Cup match, which takes place at Chicago at the end of this month. He declined the invitation, and his place is being filled by Captain G. N. C. Martin, the Irish golfer. Mr. Tolley is 32.

BATHERS IN DANGER.

BROTHER AND SISTER RESCUED.

Two holiday visitors from Bangor, a Mr. E. Ellis and his sister, who were drawn out by the tide when bathing in the estuary at Portmadoc, Carnarvonshire, yesterday, owe their lives to the gallantry of Mr. J. Thompson.

Leaping into the water, he got Miss Ellis ashore, and then sprang in again to the help of her brother, bringing him to safety after a stern struggle against a strong current.

Both men were exhausted when they reached the beach.

"AS WHITE AS MONT BLANC."

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NO SECRET PACT

NEW ANGLO-FRENCH NAVAL COMPROMISE.

END OF DISAGREEMENT

Statements which have been made that Great Britain has entered into a secret agreement with France on naval disarmament are described in authoritative quarters in London as a gross misrepresentation of the facts. These are that a compromise, not a formal agreement, has been reached on a formula, which will eventually be submitted to the Preliminary Committee of the Disarmament Conference.

At present efforts are being made to get unanimity in regard to the formula among the principal naval Powers, who are holding what is described as a round table conference by means of the post and telegraph. Until all the Powers have made the comments on the proposal, publication is not considered desirable.

Incidentally, the documents are so technical that they would not be intelligible to the general public.

Meanwhile, the rumours that there is a secret clause in the agreement are stated to be entirely without foundation.

A FRENCH STATEMENT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

A French semi-official *communiqué* regarding the Anglo-French naval agreement is issued here this evening.

It commences by declaring that certain foreign Press comments make it desirable that an explanatory statement should be issued. It emphasises that the agreement is not a diplomatic act involving the signature of plenipotentiaries, but rather the end of a disagreement between France and Great Britain.

It recapitulates the history of the subject of naval disarmaments, beginning from the Washington Conference, and lays stress on the fact that it is inaccurate to speak of secret clauses, since there has been no signed convention.

Describing the divergencies between the two countries, it dwells on France's need for small, low-powered submarines, for the special purpose of maintaining communication with North Africa, and also for light cruisers, with purely defensive armament, for similar purposes, while at the same time mentioning England's contention that such craft, when armed for offence, ought to be subject to limitation.

It concludes by explaining that the agreement is meant to serve as a basis for the settlement of the whole disarmament problem.

GERMAN TENNIS QUARREL.

BARONESS SUSPENDED FROM PLAY.

The Baroness Paula Von Reznicek, who holds third rank in Germany's hierarchy of tennis players, has been suspended for six weeks by the German Tennis Union for giving a box on the ears of Frau Aussem, mother of Cilly Aussem, Germany's first champion on the tennis courts at Hamburg.

The tennis club at Cologne, Cilly Aussem's native city, has replied by excluding her mother, not for six weeks, but for ever.

Baroness Von Reznicek gave the Berlin Correspondent of the *Evening News* yesterday the following story of the quarrel:—

"Of course, I ought not to have boxed the ears of Cilly Aussem's mother publicly on the court at Hamburg," she said. "I had to box her ears somewhere, and really I could not be expected to follow her round Germany just for that."

"Why had you got to box her ears?" I asked.

"Because she had made a very grave charge against me, and had refused to withdraw it," replied the Baroness. "Apart from that we have got to clear the tennis courts of interfering mothers. Frau Aussem dotes on her daughter, who is a very nice girl, and she is furious when she is beaten.

"I happened to beat her twice, first at Nice for the championship of the South of France, where I won 6-2, 6-3. Frau Aussem is an hysterical person, and she came into the pavilion, where there were about 100 people, mostly foreigners, after the defeat of her daughter, and shouted out before everybody that the German players were a pack of pigs. After all, she and her daughter are Germans.

"The second time that I beat Fraulein Aussem was at Breslau—6-2 and 6-1. That made matters worse, and Frau Aussem accused me of hypnotising her daughter, which is, of course, rubbish. Not content with that, she circulated a grave charge against me, and formulated it in a letter to the German Tennis Union, so I gave her that box on the ears, and the matter is to be thrashed out in Court.

"She is suing me for assault. I am suing her for libel. I am getting innumerable letters of sympathy, and the material which I shall bring into Court is voluminous."

The Baroness when she is not engaged in sport writes feuilletons. She has written one or two books in a light and humorous style.

CORRUPTION ACT CHARGE.

IMMIGRATION OFFICER AND ITALIAN.

The further hearing of a summons at Folkestone Petty Sessions against Willcam Gustav Brown, an immigration officer, stationed at Folkestone Harbour, for an offence under the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1926, was adjourned yesterday until September 19th.

Mr. Pashley, prosecuting on behalf of the Director of Public Prosecutions, said that the alleged offence was regarded by the authorities as a very serious one.

Euginio Buonaccorsi, a confectionery merchant, who gave an address in Saracen street, Glasgow, said that on account of ill-health in 1921 he returned to Italy. He recovered, and on March 20th, with two of his sons, crossed from Boulogne to Folkestone. He went to the Passport Office on board the steamer Engadine, and Brown, the passport officer, said:—"You cannot pass; you must go back to Boulogne on the 4 o'clock boat." To which Buonaccorsi replied:—"I am not going through Scotland to look for a job; I have £600 in my pocket." He left the office, but returned with his son. Brown said:—"Your father cannot pass." Brown then held out his hand and said:—"I want some money. This is a big risk for me, and I may lose my job." Buonaccorsi added that he gave Brown seven or eight pounds in notes.

Answering Mr. Rutley Mowll, who defended Brown, Buonaccorsi admitted that he said to Brown:—"Do what you can for me."

Did Brown order you out of the Passport Office in the presence of your son?—Yes.

Armando Buonaccorsi's sixteen-year-old son said that he saw his father give money to Brown.

BEE-STING RISKS.

THIRD PARTY INSURANCE FOR BEE-KEEPERS.

That beekeeping is not all honey is made plain by the decision of the Pinner Beekeepers' Association to insure its members against third-party risks. Much has been done to breed better bees, which will produce more honey, but a really satisfactory stingless bee has not been evolved, so the beekeepers say. In that lies the main drawback of beekeeping. A member of the Surrey Beekeepers' Association, who discussed the problem with a Press representative, explained that the majority of Beekeepers' Associations insured their members.

"For about sixpence a year beekeepers are insured against claims for stings up to £100," he said. "Actually, the third-party risks are very slight, for bees do not attack people unless they are interfered with. The chief danger is when a beehive is near the road; then, during hot weather, one sometimes hears of horses being fatally stung. A perspiring horse, for some reason or other, drives bees to a frenzy of rage, and they will attack the animal in swarms. Even then, it is more shock than poison that kills the animal."

The expert said the best way to avoid being stung by a bee or a wasp was to get into the shade. Go under a tree, or into a shady room. Neither insect ever stings in the shade.

STORMS' TOLL OF LIVES.

200 PEOPLE KILLED IN HAYTI.

SWATH OF RUIN IN MINNESOTA.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA, Tuesday.

Four persons are known to have been killed and more than two score injured by a tornado which swept over Minnesota yesterday. The path of the tornado was marked by wholesale destruction of property, and the damage may run as high as a million dollars (about £200,000).

The storm swept through two counties in the extreme south of the State before whipping across the border into Iowa.

The amount of the damage is uncertain because of the difficulty of making a thorough check in the stricken area, darkness having fallen immediately after the tornado had passed.

The roads are in many parts impassable because of the *débris* strewn over them.

FOURTEEN MEN DROWNED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PANAMA, Tuesday.

Fourteen members of the crew of the steamer William A. McKenny were swept overboard and lost in a storm off California on the 8th of this month.

The steamer crawled into port here to-day badly battered, and with barely enough able seamen to manœuvre her.

The survivors told how the vessel ran into a hurricane and safely negotiated it, but when the men came on deck to rearrange the shifted cargo a great wave suddenly swept over the ship carrying the fourteen poor fellows to their death.

HAYTIAN HURRICANE.

200 DEAD: 1,000 INJURED: 10,000 HOMELESS.

FROM EXCHANGE CORRESPONDENT.

PORT AU PRINCE, Monday.

The naval tug Woodcock, upon returning from the scene of the hurricane, reports that a survey supported the belief that 200 lives had been lost, and at least 1,000 people had been injured, and that 10,000 had been rendered homeless, while the coffee and banana crops were badly damaged.

It is estimated that the hurricane devastated an area of approximately 1,400 square miles.

It is reported that a slight earthquake shock was felt in the town of St. Louis at 3 p.m. on August 10th, after which the hurricane struck the coast with such violence in one place that fishing smacks were carried inland a distance of from 200 to 300 yards.

GREAT BRITAIN.

WATERMEN ADRIFT IN THE CHANNEL.

After being helplessly adrift in the English Channel since Sunday, four Eastbourne watermen were rescued by lifeboatmen and brought to Southend yesterday. The rescued were: Stanley Smith (37), Herbert Richardson (26), Albert Wood (28), and Henry Bonniface (42).

In two Eastbourne motor boats—Sussex Queen and Sussex Maid they were towing three old barges from Portsmouth to Fulham. Between Newhaven and Sheerness, on Sunday, they were overtaken by the storm, and the tow ropes became entangled in the propellers of the motor boats, which were rendered helpless.

Distress signals were hoisted, but the men's plight was not observed until late last night, when they were drifting towards the Nore lightship. Rockets were sent up and, after a three hours' search, Southend lifeboatmen secured the drifting boats and brought them with the four men safely to Southend.

ON THE ROCKS IN A FOG.

The Middlesbrough steamer Monaleen ran on the rocks in a fog at Alnmouth, on the Northumberland coast, early yesterday.

The captain and crew of ten took to the boats after sending up distress signals, including the burning of bedding for flares, and were picked up at 5.30 by a tug and taken to Amble.

The vessel was bound from Hamburg to the Tyne.

SOLENT RESCUE SCENE.

A motor passenger packet, The Desiree, running between Southampton, Lee-on-Solent, and Cowes, was blown ashore on Monday at Lee-on-Solent during a strong north-westerly breeze and in a rough sea. The four passengers aboard were got ashore without injury.

The boat became out of control when the engine clutch jammed and the steering wire broke, and seas washed over her.

When the tide ebbed in the evening and she was left high on the beach she was found to be less severely damaged than had been feared.

YACHTSMEN'S GALE EXPERIENCE.

RESCUE IN THAMES ESTUARY.

A London doctor and his brother, whose yacht went aground in last Monday's gale on a sandbank in the Thames Estuary, were rescued by the crew of the Trinity House steamer Alert, after spending three hours in great peril with big seas breaking over them.

Dr. W. T. Birkenshaw, of King's Bench Walk, London, his wife, and his brother, Mr. W. Birkenshaw, of Birmingham University, were on a yachting cruise in the six-ton yacht Kestrel, and had made their way to Burnham-on-Crouch. There Mrs. Birkenshaw left the vessel. Early on Monday morning the brothers set off for Southend.

"We met very bad weather," Dr. Birkenshaw told a Press Association representative yesterday, "with a strong wind. We decided to make for the Swin Middle lightship, unaware that this had been removed four weeks ago, but, unfortunately, we mistook the Barrow lightship for it. As a result we plunged straight on to the Barrow Sands, and in a few minutes the yacht was being pounded by the waves. Big seas broke over us. The dinghy filled and was smashed. Everything on deck was carried away and the cabin was flooded. We hoisted the Red Ensign upside down as a signal of distress, and saw several boats in the distance, but apparently they did not see us or had not the means to reach us. Things were getting serious when our signal was seen by the Alert, the Trinity House ship, which stood by for two hours. She could not get within two and a half miles of us.

"After a time we saw the jolly boat coming towards us, the crew waving lifebelts. They had great difficulty owing to the sand, and half-way they got stuck. Then to our dismay they turned back. It was, however, only to return in another direction, and in an hour they reached the yacht and took us off to the Alert."

Dr. Birkenshaw and his brother reached the Alert exhausted from their buffeting and lack of food. The Kestrel was subsequently got off the sand bank and towed into Southend.

The County Wexford Board of Health and Public Assistance have appointed Mr. M. J. Jordan, T.D., as their representative on the Irish Public Bodies' Mutual Assurance, Limited.

CORK TRAIN'S ESCAPE.

MISHAP AT 60 MILES AN-HOUR.

The *Daily News* says:—An express train travelling from Dublin to Cork with 600 passengers, mostly tourists, had a narrow escape from disaster on Monday when travelling at sixty miles per hour.

A tyre of the left drive wheel of the engine broke near Kilmallock station; portions of the tyre were hurled for some distance, and one weighing about 4 cwt. crashed through a signal cabin, breaking several levers and ricochetting through the roof.

'BUS TICKET ALIBI RECALLED.

JONES IMPRISONED FOR FRAUD.

William Jones, or Andrew Beattie (24) pleaded guilty at Gosport yesterday to obtaining credit by false pretences, and was sentenced to two months' hard labour.

It was stated that Jones had hired a car from a local garage, and after being driven to Winchester and back entered Gosport police station and asked to be locked up.

Inspector Payne stated that Jones had a long list of previous convictions. He had given the police a lot of trouble, through his bogus confessions in connection with the murder of Mrs. Bonati and Police Constable Gutteridge. He had also been sent to prison for demanding money by threats.

Jones stated in court yesterday that he was forced into the offence by a sentence of nine months' hard labour for an offence that he did not commit. He successfully appealed against this sentence, and when liberated last Friday he was only given his railway ticket to Petersfield.

[The Court of Criminal Appeal on Friday last allowed the appeal of William Jones, the man sentenced at Gosport yesterday, against a conviction at Hampshire Sessions for garage breaking at Petersfield. Jones proved an *alibi* by means of an omnibus ticket.]

DAMAGE IN DONEGAL.

"COUNTRYSIDE A HUGE LAKE."

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

STRABANE, Tuesday.

Following heavy, incessant torrential rains, vast tracks of land in East Donegal are flooded and the crops are under water.

The countryside for many miles resembles a huge lake, but farmers in some cases are cut off from their farms. Finn Valley is badly inundated, and corn has been beaten down by the rain.

The Rivers Finn, Foyle and Mourne are in high flood. The Finn overflowed its banks.

NORTHERN IRELAND LAND.

BONDS DRAWN FOR REPAYMENT.

Notice was given in last night's *London Gazette* that, in accordance with the provisions of the Northern Ireland Land Act, 1925, and of the Northern Ireland Land (Finance) Rules, 1926, the under-noted Guaranteed 4½ per cent. Bonds, amounting to £5,800, have been drawn for repayment.

The bonds will be paid off at par on or after November 1 next at the Bank of England, London, unless registered in the books of the Bank of Ireland, Belfast, in which case the bonds will be redeemed at the Bank of Ireland, Belfast.

Bearer bonds must be presented for payment at the Dividend Pay Office, Bank of England, 5 and 6 Lombard street, London, E.C. 3, and should be left three clear days for examination.

£5 Bonds—8, 1685, 3041, 4027, 70, 648, 1319, 1359, 2280, 2335, 2403, 2807, 3240, 3478, 3549, 3874, 4159, 4170, 4317, 4371.

£50 Bonds—141, 192, 451, 508, 750, 994.

£100 Bonds—131, 227, 297, 491, 557, 640, 726, 756, 849, 957, 1366, 1392, 1603, 1865, 2633, 3601, 3630, 4576, 4724.

£500 Bonds—88, 94, 97, 297, 345, 1664, 2042.

SUMMARY OF DRAWINGS.

20 "A" Bonds of £5 each equal £100.
6 "B" Bonds of £50 each equal £300.
19 "C" Bonds of £100 each equal £1,900.
7 "D" Bonds of £500 each equal £3,500.
Total (Bonds), 52; total, £5,800.

"A MOCKERY AND A SHAM."

CLONES MEDICAL OFFICER'S COMPLAINT.

"The ceremony which the sanitary officer goes through is a mockery and a sham, giving a deceitful sense of security and no satisfaction," was the opinion expressed by Dr. M. G. Keirans, acting medical officer, Clones, in a letter to Clones Urban Council respecting the disinfecting of a house on Rosslea road.

The medical officer added that there was no proper means for a disinfection, inasmuch as the Council did not possess a proper disinfecting chamber.

The matter arose from a question asked at a previous meeting by Mr. Thomas O'Connor, a member of the Council.

In the course of discussion it was pointed out that there was no use in making wild statements about the condition of the town. On the motion of Mr. J. Connolly, it was agreed to adhere to the system of disinfection formerly in use, and that it should be properly carried out.

TYRONE'S MANY ROADS.

BIG FINANCIAL PROBLEM.

At the meeting of the Tyrone Roads Committee yesterday, Colonel R. J. Howard, J.P. (Chairman), presiding, Mr. M. Lynch urged a faster and bigger scheme of road improvement, stating that it was generally admitted that County Tyrone was greatly behind other counties in this respect.

The Chairman said that the whole trouble was the question of where to obtain the money. Mr. Lynch's proposal raised a very big financial problem. For most of the trunk roads anything less than reconstruction would not be beneficial or economical. The County Tyrone had far too many roads—exactly double the mileage of County Armagh—yet their valuation was practically the same, so that County Armagh had double the amount of money to expend.

The County Surveyor was requested to formulate a scheme for submission to the County Council.

HEAVY MOTOR FINE AT LURGAN.

At the Lurgan Petty Sessions yesterday, James Neill, Queen street, Lurgan, was fined £5 and costs, and his licence was endorsed and suspended for twelve months, for drunkenness while in charge of a hackney motor car at Lurgan on the night of the 13th July.

The defendant denied the charge, and said that it was on account of sickness and cramps in his stomach that another man took charge of the steering wheel of the car on a journey to the country.

LOAN TO CARRICKMACROSS.

It was announced at a meeting of Carrickmacross Urban Council on Monday evening that the Munster and Leinster Bank had agreed to advance to the Council a loan of £3,730 for housing and other purposes, £2,130 to be repaid in ten years, with interest at 5 per cent., and the remainder to be repaid in three years at like interest. The Council decided to interview the local manager with a view to urging that Carrickmacross limestone should be used in the erection of new premises which the Munster and Leinster Bank are about to erect.

NEW ERA IN FRANCE.

BUDGET PLANS.

NO INCREASE OF TAXES: NEED FOR ECONOMY.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

A preliminary statement regarding M. Poincaré's 1929 Budget, which he will introduce in Parliament shortly, is made to-day.

M. Poincaré lays special stress on the importance attached by the Government to the vigorous balancing of the Budget, and affirms that it would be dangerous to believe that all danger is passed, and that there is no further need for economy.

The Budget does not contain any increase in taxation, and will be balanced on the understanding that a thousand million francs will be received from the Dawes annual payments. The preliminary estimates proposals sent in by the public administrations would, it is stated, have resulted in a deficit of six thousand million francs. The Government, therefore, immediately cut down the estimates, including even those for national defence.

On the other hand, it increased the credits for the development of all branches of aviation, agriculture, industry and public works.

The Budget provides for a readjustment of pensions and salaries, and a relief of small taxpayers, etc.

M. Poincaré also expresses the hope that if Parliament continues the policy of financial prudence, which it has pursued up to the present, the new Budget will inaugurate an era of recovery.

The statement declares that the various departments concerned in national defence demanded a total increase in expenditure of over four milliard francs, as compared with the 1928 Budget.

FINANCES AND DEFENCE.

M. Poincaré reduced this figure to one milliard in his estimates for 1929, although this reduction is merely a temporary adjournment. In this connection M. Poincaré has written the following passage:—

"Whatever may be the necessity, or even the urgency, of fresh expenditure on national defence it appeared to us that all considerations must yield to the methodical restoration of our finances. The late war showed that a struggle between two countries was not confined to the battlefields, but implied the mobilisation of all the forces of the nation—not only the man-power, but all resources whatsoever. A healthy financial situation, with undiminished credit, to-day are elements which play as important a *rôle* in the defence of the country as frontier fortifications or supplies in dépôts."

MOTHER'S COURAGEOUS ACT.

CHILD SAVED AT EXPENSE OF HER SON.

An inquest was held in Londonderry yesterday on the body of Patrick O'Hagan, aegd three years, who was drowned in the Collen river, while his mother was rescuing another child named John White.

The stream at ordinary times is only a couple of feet wide. It was so swollen by recent rain that at the point where the accident occurred it measured about twenty feet across.

Evidence of identification was given yesterday by Joseph O'Hagan, father of the child.

Mrs. O'Hagan, mother of the child, said that she was down at the burn the previous afternoon where the children were playing. Patrick O'Hagan was amongst them. She had him by the hand. Some children called out that Johnny White was in the water, and when she looked she saw him being carried around helplessly in a deep hole in the middle of the burn. She let go her own child's hand, thinking that all she had to do was to put in her foot and save him. When she put in her foot, however, she was in a deep hole. She caught hold of Johnny White, but the strength of the stream was too much for her. She could not leave him to drown, however, and went on after him, forgetting about her own child at the bank. The current carried them down the stream until she caught hold of a bush and pulled Johnny White and herself up to the railway line. When she got up to the bank her own boy was not to be seen, and when she asked where he was another boy said, "He's in the water." She never heard his voice or saw his face afterwards.

Kevin Robbett, aged twelve years, said that the boy's (Patrick O'Hagan's) body had been carried 400 yards down the stream when he recovered it. It showed no sign of life.

Police evidence was given to the effect that artificial respiration had been tried for an hour without avail.

Dr. Crosbie stated that the cause of the child's death was drowning.

The Coroner said that Mrs. O'Hagan had performed a heroic deed in saving the life of the boy who had fallen into deep water.

The jury returned a verdict of accidental drowning, and congratulated Mrs. O'Hagan on her courageous act.

YOUNG PERSONS IN BAKERY TRADE.

ALLEGATIONS AT BRITISH CONFERENCE.

One of the most interesting delegates to the eighteenth annual conference of the Amalgamated Union of Operative Bakers and Confectioners, which concluded yesterday at Cardiff, was Miss E. G. Edmondson, of Manchester, the only woman delegate among fifty men. She arrived with a number of resolutions concerning the welfare of juvenile and women workers in the bakery trade, which she moved on behalf of the women of Manchester, whom she represented.

Miss Edmondson holds a responsible position in a large Manchester bakery, and works as a skilled baker and confectioner side by side with male colleagues.

During a discussion on new scales of contributions for young persons and women, a Manchester delegate emphasised the importance of bringing into membership of the Union all young people over the age of fourteen, because of what he termed "the shameful manner in which employers compelled them to work as many as fourteen hours a day."

"We have had to put inspectors on the track of some of these bakeries," he said, "and in one case the employer got to hear of it, and when the inspector arrived he pushed the children through the window."

TRANSFERRED TICKETS.

RAIL PASSENGERS' SCHEMES THAT FAILED.

For having travelled on the Great Western Railway, England, with the return halves of tickets taken out by other persons a man and woman were fined 20s. each by the Merthyr magistrates yesterday.

Thomas Emlyn Jones, of Abercanaid, Merthyr, was stated to have travelled from Paddington to Abercanaid with the return half of a ticket taken out by Mrs. Evelyn Protheroe, and Mrs. Protheroe, who gave an address in Avenue road, Carshalton-on-the-Hill, was fined 20s. for aiding and abetting.

Myfanwy Rook, of Merthyr, was accused of travelling from Paddington to her home with the return half of another person's excursion ticket.

LEAGUE MEETING IN SEPTEMBER.

QUESTION OF PRESIDENCY.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

GENEVA, Tuesday.

The forthcoming meeting of the League of Nations Assembly will be opened by M. Procope, the Finnish Foreign Minister, who presides at the Council sessions, and it is believed that the effective Presidency of the Assembly will be offered to Mr. Adatoi, Japan.

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSE STRONG.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Stocks opened firm. Pool operations in a wide assortment of Rails and specialities were resumed this morning, nearly two score of issues reaching the highest levels for the year at gains ranging from 1 to 9 points. The market appeared to have thrown off the restraint recently imposed by tight money rates, and although call money was renewed at 7 per cent., against 6 per cent. yesterday, held steady, despite the calling in of about fifteen million dollars of loans by the banks. Operators for the advance concentrated on issues of companies reporting large current earnings, and prospects for heavy crop movements this autumn stimulated buying of Railroads. The activity in shares of mail order houses was a feature, Montgomery Ward climbing 9 points to the new high of 201⅞, while Sears Roebuck moved up nearly 5 to a new peak at 139⅜. The market closed strong. Government Bonds easy; Railroad Bonds steady. The day's sales totalled 3,108,000 shares. Money on call closed firm at 7½ per cent bid and 7¾ per cent. asked. Business done during the day ranged from 7 per cent. to 7½ per cent., with the ruling rate 7 per cent. The last transaction was at 7½ per cent. Sterling exchange closed steady. Silver ⅛c. lower at 58⅞.

	Tues.	Mon.
Call Money	7½b. 7¾a	7½b. 7¾a
Exchange on Lon.—60 days sight	4.81 3/16	4.81 5/16
Do. do. Demand Bills	4.84 15/16	4.85 1/16
Cable Transfers	4.85¼	4.85 5/16
Do. Montreal	4.85 5/16	4.85⅛
Exchange Paris cable	3.90¾	3.90⅞

Eng. Parity	STOCKS.	Tues.	Mon.
198⅞	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	193	191½
107 5/16	Do. Pref.	104	104
115 5/16	Baltimore and Ohio	111¾	107⅝
218 11/16	Canadian Pacific	212¼	209¾
39½	Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul	38	37⅝
86 1/16	Chicago and North-West	83½	82¼
54⅜	Erie Shares	52¾	52¾
59	Erie 1st Preferred	57¼	56¾
147⅝	Illinois Central	143¼	142
144¼	Louisville and Nashville	140	140
42⅜	Missouri, Kansas, and Texas	41⅛	41⅛
67	Missouri Pacific New	65	64½
6 3/16	Nat. Mexico 1st Pref.	6*	6*
174	New York Central & Hudson R.	168⅞	165½
185½	Norfolk and West Com.	180	179
100 7/16	Northern Pacific Com.	97½	97¼
65 13/16	Pennsylvania Shares	63⅞	63¾
105⅝	Reading Shares	102½	100
43¼	Do. Pref.	42	42
126⅝	Southern Pacific	122⅝	121¼
154 15/16	Southern Railway	150¼	149¾
200 7/16	Union Pacific	194½	193
87 1/16	Do. Pref.	84½	84½
110¼	American Can. (New Stock)	107	106⅞
223 9/16	American Smelt. and Refining	217	212
68	Anaconda Copper	66	66⅝
—	Anglo-American Oil	—	18
63⅛	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	61¼	60⅛
—	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon		
151	New York Consolidated Gas	147½	146¾
162 9/16	General Electric (New Stock)	157¾	154¾
191 5/16	General Motors (New)	185⅝	183⅛
5 7/16	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	5¼	5¼
35 15/16	Do. Pref. Certs.	34¾	34¾
38¾	International Pet. of Canada	37⅝	37⅝
123 11/16	National Lead	120	120
43¼	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	42	42⅛
53 5/16	Shell Transport and Trading	51¾	51¾
27 7/16	Shell Union Oil Corp.	26⅝	26⅞
33½	U.S. Rubber	32½	31
156⅝	United States Steel Common	151¾	148¼
144 9/16	Do. Pref.	140¼	140¼
—	Silver Commercial Bars	58⅞	59
	BONDS.		
95 5/16	Atch. Top. New 4% Gen. Mort.	92½	94
81½	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	79⅛	—
96⅞	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	94	94
110¼	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bonds	107	106¼
121⅞	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929	118¼	118¼
107 7/16	Do. do. 1937	104⅛	104¼
88	U.K. Funding Loan	85⅜	85¾
109⅞	7 per cent. German Loan	106⅝	106⅞

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; ‖ Ex rights.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Eng Equiv.	STOCKS AND SHARES.	Clos'g Prices Tues.	Mon.
54½	Abitibi Power & Paper Co., Ltd.	52½	51½
26¼	Asbestos Corp. of Canada, Ltd.	25½	25
91¾	Do. Pref.	89	89
56 15/16	Brazilian T. L. & P. Co., Ltd.	55¼	54⅝
4½	Brit. Empire Steel Corp., Ltd.	4	4
34½	Do. 1st Preference Series B.	33½	33½
6 11/16	Do. 2nd Preference	6½	6¼
36 9/16	Brompton Pulp & Paper Co. Ltd.	35½	35
122 15/16	Canadian Cottons Co. Ltd.	120	120
42¾	Canadian Indus. Alcohol Co.	41½	40⅛
33¾	Canada Power & Paper Corp.	32¾	31⅝
38⅛	Canada Steamships Lines, Ltd.	37	38
97⅜	Do. New 6 p.c.	94½	94½
250⅞	Con. Mining & Smelt. Co. of Canada, Ltd.	243⅛	242
105⅝	Dominion Textile Co., Ltd.	102½	103
10 13/16	Hollinger Gold Mining Shares	10½	10½
103 1/16	Montreal L. H. & P. Consd.	100	99½
128 9/16	National Breweries, Ltd.	124¾	121
73 5/16	Port Alfred P. & P. Corp. Com.	71	69
104 1/16	Do. Pref.	101	101
78⅜	Price Bros. & Co., Ltd.	76	76
82 7/16	Quebec Power Co. New Stock	80	77½
87 1/16	Shawinigan W. & P. Co. (New)	84½	83⅞
181⅜	Steel Co. of Canada, Ltd.	176	176
71⅛	Wayagamack	69	67
103 15/16	Winnipeg Electric	100¼	101½
364¾	Bank of Montreal	354	348
303⅝	Canadian Bank of Commerce	294½	294½
361 11/16	Royal Bank of Canada	351	347

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT—Spot easy and 2c. to 1c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Amber Durum, spot	117¼	119¼
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	115¼	117¼
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	126⅝	132⅛
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	121¾	122¾
No 2 Red Winter, spot	146¼	147¾

RYE steady, ½c. higher. No. 2 spot, 111¾.

BARLEY easy at 1c. fall. American malting, No. 2 spot, 80.

MAIZE easy, 1c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	85¼	86¼

LARD steady and unchanged. Prime Western steam, 13.15; Middle West, 12.90 to 13.00.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain, per quarter, 1/3 to 2/-.

Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lbs., 10c. to 12c.

Cotton—High density to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 40c.

Cotton—Standard bales to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 55c.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day
Standard White in cases	17.40	17.40
Standard White in barrels	13.75	13.75
Do. Philadelphia	13.75	13.75
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	2.85-3.20	2.85-3.20

RUBBER easier. First latex crepe spot, 19¼ buyers; smoked ribbed sheets spot, 18⅞ buyers, 19¼ sellers.

COFFEE opened irregular, 5 points up to 7 points down. The closing was easy, with Rio futures 5 to 16 points and Santos 20 to 22 points lower. Spot steady and unchanged. Rio No. 7, 17⅜; Santos No. 4, 24.

Options—	Sept.	Dec.	1929. Jan.	Mar.	May	July
To-day	15.85	15.85	15.72	15.62	15.52	15.35
Prev. day	15.90	15.95	15.84	15.74	15.68	15.48

SUGAR—Centrifugal Cuban spot steady and unaltered; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 4.14. Approximate day's sales—50,000 tons.

Options—	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	1929. Jan.	Mar.	May	July
To-day	2.24	2.28	2.38	2.39	2.41	2.48	2.55
Prev. day	2.27	2.31	2.41	2.42	2.41	2.48	2.56

TALLOW steady. Spot, extra loose, 8¼.

TURPENTINE—Spot, 53½; Savannah, spot, 47½.

METALS—Straits Tin barely steady, and 12½ to 25 points lower. Spot and near by New York, 47.75. Future option—September, 46.75. Lead steady and unchanged. Spot New York, 6.20; spot East St. Louis, 6.00. Zinc steady and unaltered. Spot East St. Louis, 6.25. Pig Iron steady; Northern No. 2 plain, f.o.b. Furnace, Eastern Pennsylvania, 19.95; No. 2 plain Buffalo (delivery Boston), 20.45 by rail.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT opened steady, unchanged, to ⅛c. higher. Exporters buying December contracts, together with an improved demand for Manitoba and unfavourable production returns from France and Poland, stimulated advances; then larger country offerings induced realising. The market closed easy, 1c. to ⅞c. down. Opening options—October, 109⅞; December, 110¼; May, 115⅞. Closing options—October, 108⅞; December, 109¼; May, 115¼. Rye easy, 1½c. to 2c. lower. Closing options—October, 91½; December, 91½. Oats steady, ⅛c. down to unchanged. Closing options—October, 44⅞; December, 42½. Barley steady at ⅛c. decline. Closing options—October, 63¼; December, 62¼. Flaxseed firm, 1⅛c. to 1½c. up. Closing options—October, 182; December, 179.

Wheat receipts (carlots).	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 1 Northern	8	—
No. 2 Northern	42	4
No. 3 Northern	12	23
No. 4 Northern	2	10
Other grades	30	12
Total	94	49

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON commenced steady, but 10 to 17 points down, due to lower cable advices and Liverpool, Southern and Wall Street selling; but the offerings were absorbed on local short covering, influenced by the strength of October, small local stocks, an unfavourable weather forecast for the Eastern belt, and reports of increasing weevil damage. The market closed barely steady, however, although 30 to 8 points up. Spot steady at 30 points advance. New Orleans futures opened 5 to 7 points lower, but rallied sharply afterwards, and around 11.45 a.m. October touched 18.43, December 18.46, January 18.47, and March 18.55. After some further improvement prices fell back, and at 1.45 p.m. October was quoted 18.38, December 18.44, January 18.45, March 18.50, and May 18.49; but the market closed 31 to 22 points up on the day. Spot 29 points higher.

Spot, middling upland at New York, 19.15.

Spot, middling upland at New Orleans, 18.94.

Receipts—Atlantic ports, 1,000 bales; Gulf, 10,000; Pacific, nil; interior towns, 1,000.

Exports—Great Britain, nil; Continent, 4,000 bales; Japan and China, 2,000.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

WHEAT opened barely steady, ⅛c. up to ⅛c. down. Prices turned upward afterwards owing to the fair export business for hard winter wheat and on advices of some rains falling over the central West and South-West areas. Smaller receipts of winter wheat, along with good flour sales at Minneapolis, assisted the advance, but selling by Eastern houses brought reactions later. The market closed easy, 1⅛c. lower all round. Spot easier.

	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	110¾	111¼
No. 3 Hard Winter, spot	109⅝	110

Futures—Opening options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	109½	114⅞	119⅛
Prev. day	110⅝	115⅞	120⅛

KITTEN GUIDE ON ALPINE CLIMB.

RESISTS RETURN TO VALLEY COMFORTS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERNE, Monday.

A black kitten now guides tourists up the famous Blumlisalphorn, which towers 12,000 feet to the south-west of Muerren. For the last week every party of tourists climbing the peak has been met about half-way up and accompanied to the summit by this small mountaineer, who skips from rock to rock, with his tail straight in the air to show those trudging behind that all is well. At the top he makes an ample meal at the expense of his admiring charges, and quenches his thirst from the eternal snows which crown the peak.

A few days ago a kind-hearted tourist thought that the kitten would be grateful if it were brought back to the luxuries of civilisation. So while the little guide was "lunching" by his side he suddenly seized it and tucked it into his haversack, which he tied up and left at the halting place, together with a camera and some films, while he and the rest of the party went on to the summit. Great was his surprise and annoyance when he returned to find no trace of haversack, kitten or camera. A search was made, but with no success, and it was generally agreed that in its struggles to get free the kitten must have rolled haversack, camera and all over the precipice.

The next day another party of tourists, who had heard the sad story of the kitten's end, set out to make the ascent. They stopped at the usual lunching place, and were in the act of opening their packets of sandwiches when they saw the black kitten watching them wistfully from the top of a neighbouring rock. They tried to entice it nearer by holding out tempting morsels, but nothing would persuade it to trust the good faith of man again.

The tourists had to leave without it, and as far as anyone knows, it is still on the mountainside, though a recent fall of snow would make a civilised kitten hanker after the warm, sunny valley whence it came.

No trace has been found of the tourist's haversack or camera, and it is suggested that the struggles of the kitten to escape probably loosened the fastening sufficiently to allow the animal to leap out as its prison rolled over the precipice.

POISONED BY PORK PIES.

WOMAN DEAD: FAMILY SERIOUSLY ILL.

John Thomas Hunter, of Pocklington, Yorkshire, his wife and three sons, were taken seriously ill after having eaten of pork pies, and Mrs. Hunter died on Monday last. The family appeared to be quite well when they retired to bed on Sunday night, but on Monday morning all complained of severe internal pains. One of the sons—Joe Hunter—went to work on Monday, but during the day he became so ill that he was taken to an infirmary, where he remains. A doctor attended to the other members of the family, and had them confined to bed. Mr. John Thomas Hunter, the father, was slightly better yesterday.

DOCTOR REBUKED BY CORONER.

"DON'T TALK NONSENSE."

A doctor was rebuked by the Coroner at an inquest at Brynamman, Carmarthenshire, yesterday on Frederick John, a tinworker, who was found dead in a field earlier in the day with his throat cut and a razor in a case in his pocket.

Dr. John Lloyd Owen, Brynamman, said that he had attended John for neurasthenia and depression. He thought that the man might commit suicide or, even worse, wipe out his family.

The Coroner—Did you warn anybody?—No.

Surely, as a medical man, you should have warned his friends or somebody. I think you are to blame.

Dr. Owen—Anyone who is suicidal is also homicidal. Of course, I did drop a hint to fellows in the street.

The Coroner—It is no business of the man in the street. Why did not you drop a hint to the family?

Dr. Owen—I was not in touch with them; I live some distance away.

Later the Coroner said—I think your evidence is very unsatisfactory, most unsatisfactory.

Dr. Owen—No medical evidence is always sure.

The Coroner—Don't talk nonsense.

A verdict of death from a self-inflicted wound whilst temporarily insane was recorded.

KNOCKED DOWN BY TRAIN.

BOY'S WONDERFUL ESCAPE.

Donald Pupper, aged 16, a boy employed as a messenger at the Bournemouth Central Railway Station, and living at South road, Bournemouth, had a marvellous escape from injury when he was knocked down by a train at the station yesterday. He was crossing the rails, but was unable to get to the opposite platform, because there was a stationary train in the way. He waited in the four-foot way, but did not notice a goods train coming along at a slow pace behind him. The engine of the train caught him on the head and bowled him over, but he fell into the middle of the track on which the train was running.

People who saw the accident expected to find his dead body on the line when the train had gone by, but, to their amazement, the boy scrambled to his feet and staggered towards those who had jumped down to help him. He had slight injuries to the head, and was considerably shaken, but when he was taken to hospital it was found unnecessary to detain him.

THE FATAL 'BUS ACCIDENT IN DERRY.

At a special court in Londonderry yesterday Alexander Boyd, of Carneady, Castlerock, the driver of a motor 'bus, was charged with causing the death of Patrick Doherty (75), of 11 Union street, on the 11th August, by knocking him down in Derry with a 'bus. Informations were refused.

Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	108¼	113¼	118
Prev. day	109¾	114¾	119

MAIZE was steady at the opening and ¼c. up to unchanged. News of general rains over the central and South-West districts and advices stating that corn in Illinois is in splendid shape, along with a bearish forecast for cooler temperatures and reports that the yield in parts of the North-West promises to be the largest in history, prompted good recessions, the market closing easy at 2½c. to ⅛c. decline.

Spot, No. 2 mixed Western, 97.

Futures—Opening options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	91⅝	73⅜	75
Prev. day	89⅝	73½	75

Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	88¾	72⅝	74
Prev. day	91¼	73¼	75

OATS declined owing to the larger car-lot receipts at Chicago and on a bearish harvesting weather forecast. The easiness of North-West markets was a further factor, and at the close values were ⅛c. to ½c. lower, with the tone barely steady.

Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	35¾	38¾	41
Prev. day	35⅞	39	41

RYE—A better export demand and good Eastern buying of September and December caused an upward movement early; then selling by cash houses brought reactions. The close was easy, with prices ¼c. up to 1⅛c. down. No. 2, spot, unquoted.

Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	95¼	95¾	98
Prev. day	95	96½	99

PROVISIONS—Lard opened steady, and advances were encouraged by the steadiness of hogs and an improved domestic cash demand. Subsequent realising brought recessions, however, and the closing was barely steady, with futures unchanged to 5 and 2½ points down. Prime Western steam, spot, 12.40.

Lard—Closing options—	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.
To-day	12.35	12.47½	12.67½	12.87
Prev. day	12.37½	12.52½	12.67½	12.8

Ribs—Closing options—	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.
To-day	14.35	13.95	13.8
Prev. day	14.85	13.95	13.8

BACON steady. Short ribs, spot, 60lbs. average, 14.62½.

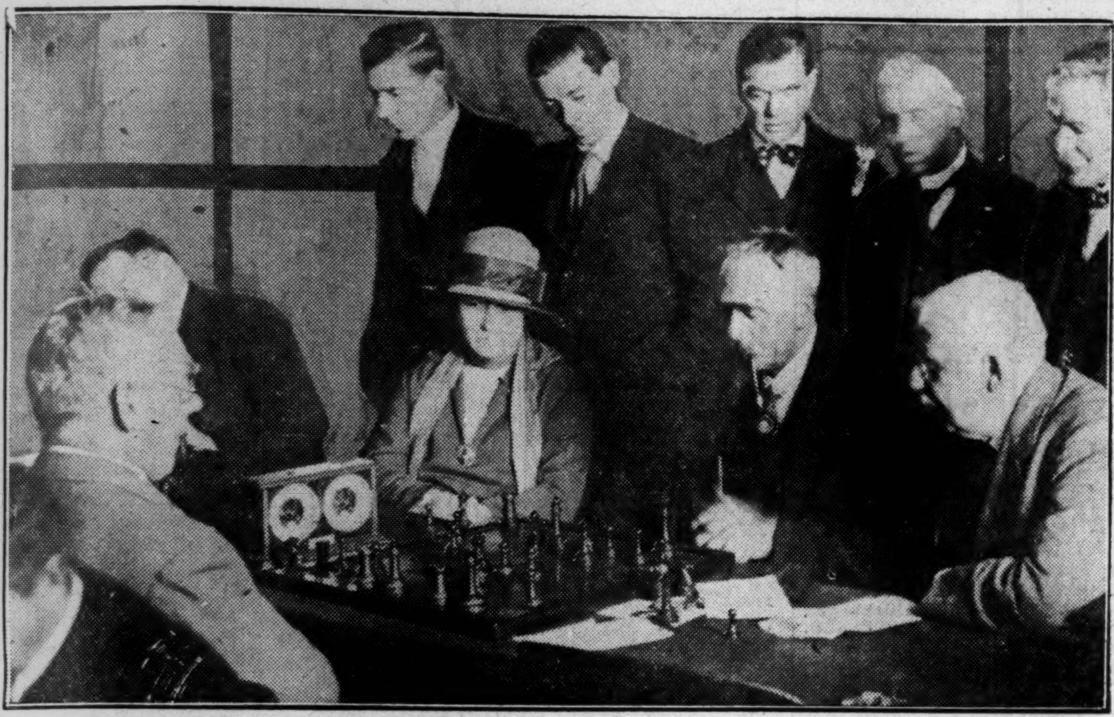
HOGS steady. Light sorts are unchanged to 5 points up and heavy unaltered. Light weight 11.50 to 12.70, heavy weight 11.60 to 12.40.

	To-day	Same day last year.
Receipts—Chicago	17,000	25,000
Western Cities	55,000	70,000

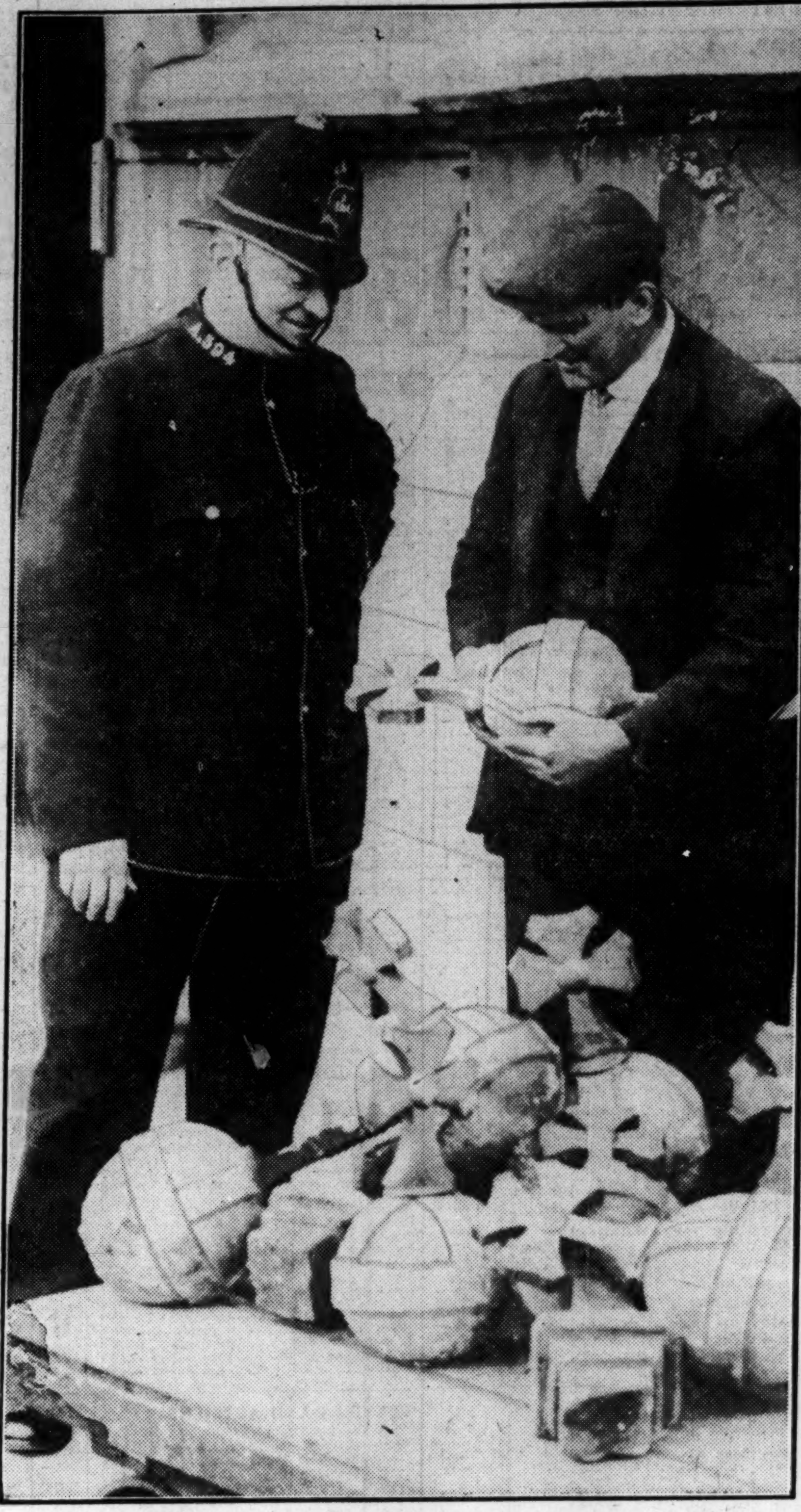
The receipts of hogs at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1 (amended) total 13,410,000, against 12,950,000 for the same season last year.

FINGAL HARRIERS' TENNIS TOURNAMENT : TOWN-PLANNING.

TOWN-PLANNING.—The City Architect explaining the Emmet road extension scheme to visiting members of the Town-planning Association in Dublin yesterday.



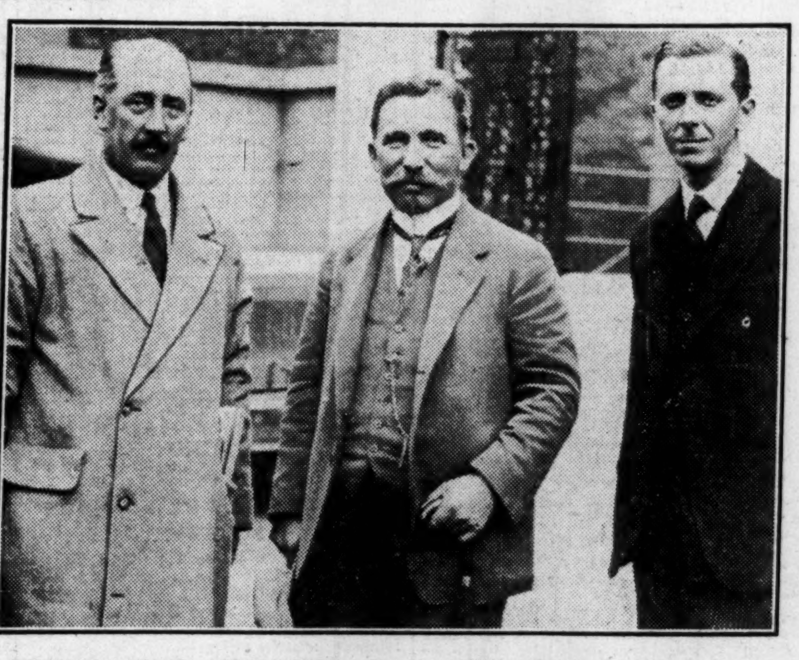
TAILTEANN CHESS.—Mr. J. J. O'Hanlon, former Irish champion (on left), in play against Mr. J. Gerrard, ex-champion of Leinster, at Trinity College, Dublin, yesterday.



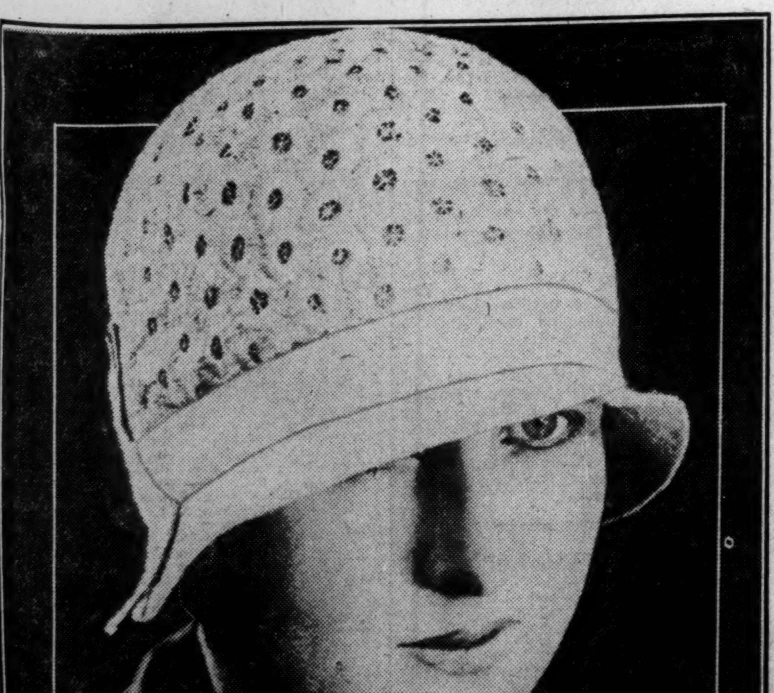
TIME AND WEATHER WIN.—The ravages of centuries of London weather are responsible for the breaking and falling of the cross and ball decorations, which are a feature of the House of Commons. A considerable amount of ornamental stone work has been removed in the interests of safety.

THE FINGAL HARRIERS' TENNIS TOURNAMENT.
At Malahide yesterday. Left to right: Miss Violet Hicks, Miss Mona Robertson, Mr. Crampton Walker, Miss Lamb, Miss D. Yule, Miss McKenna, Mrs. A. Craigie, Mrs. R. Craigie, Miss Jolly, Miss Leckie, Miss More-Caraher, Miss Pratt-White, Master McKenna and Miss Mai Ennis.

INTERNATIONAL GYMNASTICS.—The Senior girls' team from the Curragh competing at the Mansion House, Dublin, yesterday.



TOWN-PLANNING ASSOCIATION.—Mr. P. J. Dillon (Dublin Housing Superintendent), with Mr. P. G. Pederson (Mayor of Copenhagen) and Councillor A. T. Pike, in Dublin yesterday.



LATEST FASHION.—A closely woven crown, representing daisies, carried out in white wool, with golden centres, and finished with a small brim, comprises this charming hat.

TAILTEANN DRILLING.—The Army School of Music team, under Sergeant-Major Doogan, competing at the Mansion House, Dublin.

KELLOGG RECEPTION COMMITTEE

Appeal to the Citizens of Dublin.

THE HON. FRANK B. KELLOGG, Secretary of State, United States of America, has graciously accepted the invitation of President Cosgrave to visit Ireland immediately following the signing of the International Treaty for the Renunciation of War, in Paris, on August 27th. Mr. Kellogg, accompanied by President Cosgrave, will arrive at Dun Laoghaire by U.S. Cruiser "Detroit" on or about the 29th inst., and proceed, through Dun Laoghaire, Blackrock, Ballsbridge, and the City of Dublin, to the American Legation, Phœnix Park.

The Committee appeal to all citizens, and especially those along the route, to mark, in the most suitable manner possible, their appreciation of the high tribute implied by the visit of our distinguished guest by making an appropriate display of flags and other decorations.

The Committee is arranging for an address of welcome on behalf of the citizens, to be followed by a reception. Suitable decorations will be undertaken by the Committee. They appeal to all citizens for subscriptions, in order to defray the many incidental expenses consequent on their activities. Cheques should be made payable to:—

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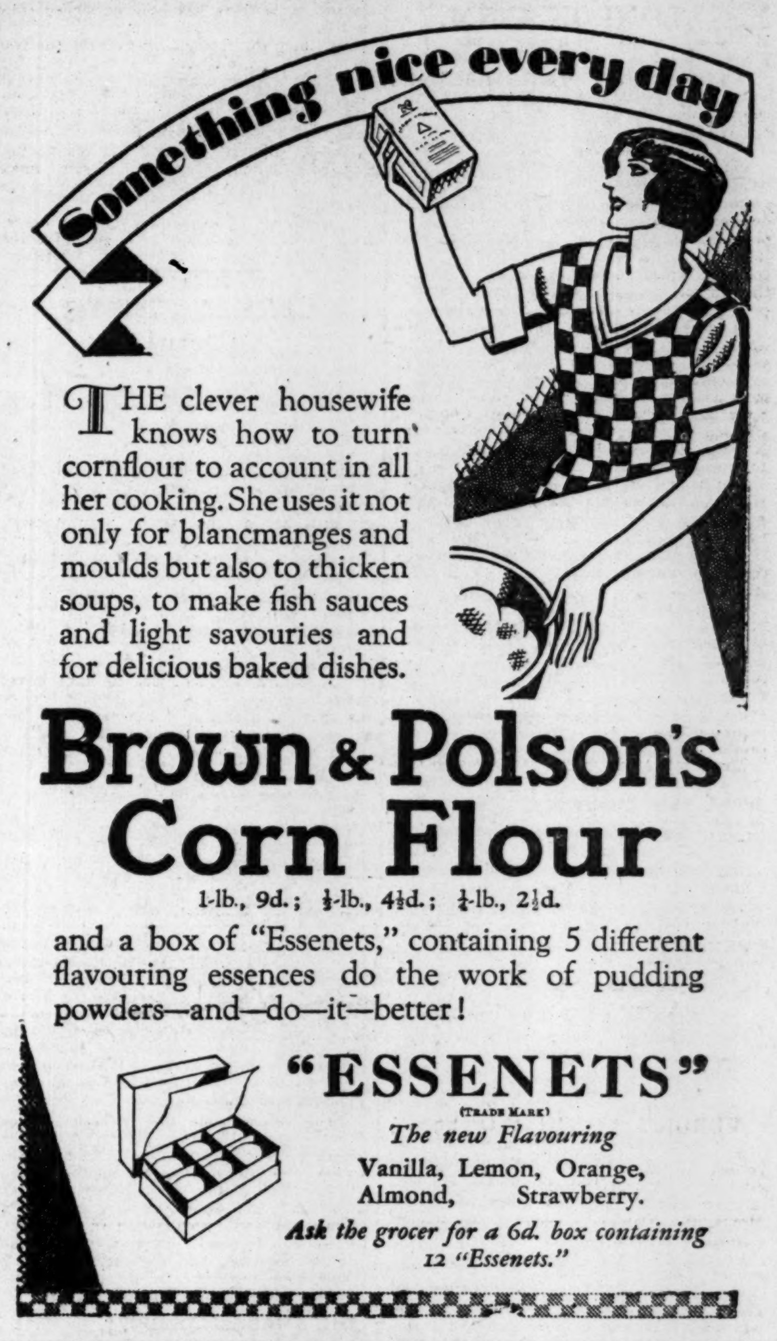

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INCREASING BIRTH-RATE

THE FIGURES FOR GREAT BRITAIN.

A big increase in the number of births and a substantial decrease in infantile mortality are features of the Registrar-Generals report for England and Wales for the quarter ended June 30 last, which was issued yesterday.

The live births registered in the second quarter of 1928 numbered 171,241, and were 3,142 more than in the preceding quarter, and 161 above the number recorded in the corresponding quarter of 1927. This was the first occasion since 1920 that the births in the second quarter of the year had shown an increase when compared with the number registered in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

"This arrest in the rate of decline of the birth-rate may, however, be due in some measure to the increase in the number of marriages solemnised in the year 1927," the report says. "Of these births 86,928 were males and 84,313 females, a proportion of 1,031 males to 1,000 females."

The birth-rate was 17.5 per thousand of the estimated mid-year population for 1927, and is equal to that recorded in the corresponding quarter for 1927.

FEWER DEATHS.

The deaths, including still-births, registered numbered 114,748, and were 21,567 less than in the preceding quarter, but 7,140 more than in the corresponding quarter of 1927. They correspond to a provisional annual rate of 11.7 per 1,000 of the estimated population. The general death-rate was 0.7 per 1,000 above that recorded during the corresponding quarter of last year.

Influenza was stated to be either a primary or contributory cause of death in 2,103 cases, or 1.83 per cent. of the total deaths. Measured by the proportion of deaths of infants under one year of age to births registered the infant mortality was equal to 60 per 1,000. This rate was 12 per 1,000 below the average of the ten preceding second quarters. Eighteen deaths had been provisionally classified to small-pox.

The natural increase of population in England and Wales for the quarter under review, by excess of births over deaths, was 56,493, as against 73,646, 67,523 and 63,472 in the second quarters of 1925, 1926 and 1927.

THE MARRIAGES.

The number of persons married in the first quarter of 1928 in England and Wales, was 90,414, a decrease of 76,252 over the number in the preceding quarter and 5,296 less than that in the corresponding quarter of 1927. The number corresponds to an anual rate of 9.3 per 1,000 of the estimated mid-year population, and was 0.6 less than that recorded in the corresponding quarter of 1927.

In Great Britain and Northern Ireland 196,135 births and 147,016 deaths were registered in the three months ended December 31, 1927. The natural increase in population was, therefore, 49,119. The number of persons married was 192,980.

THE MINERS' SECRETARY.

MR. COOK ORDERED A REST.

Mr. A. J. Cook, the British Miners' secretary, under urgent medical advice, is taking a rest, and has been compelled to cancel all his public engagements for the next few days.

On inquiry at the offices of the Miners' Federation yesterday, it was stated that Mr. Cook had very reluctantly acceded to the orders of his doctor, having been told that unless he took a holiday he would be in danger of a serious breakdown. He is still suffering a good deal from an injury to one of his legs, caused during a disturbance at a Chelmsford meeting.

Mr. Cook is remaining in touch with the miners' office, but has abandoned his immediate outside engagements. He hopes to be able to attend the T.U.C. at Swansea on September 3.

BY APPOINTMENT
When meals are tempting and the service good.
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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN SMALL.

MOONEY SHARES SCARCE.

There was again a poor volume of dealing current on 'Change, with irregular price movements, mainly caused by the general paucity of orders in the hands of the brokers at this holiday time. Government National Loans tended to ease a little, but British Funds show a general advance, with War Loan 5 per cent. up to 102 7/16 at the close. Consols and Conversion 3½ per cent. Stock were both scarce and higher. Corporation, etc., Stocks closed buyers. Banking securities did not alter. Guinness Ordinary gave way on limited demand. Distillery shares were better, including Distillers (Scotch) and Power and Son Preference. British and Irish Steam Preference closed firm. Marconis, after a dull opening, closed without change. The only feature in Rails, which closed firm or buyers generally, was the further rise in Great Southern Ordinary Stock. Great Northern Ordinary and Pre-Ordinary closed wanted. Gas, Bakery and Drapery shares were mostly idle, but firm or higher. Leading Tobaccos were quiet, with dealing only in Imperial issues, but British-American shares, although not dealt in, closed a still further 1s. higher. Dunlop Rubber Ordinary gave way, but Helys Ordinary and Maypole Dairy Deferred were higher. Chemicals were firm, but Margarine (Unie) relapsed further. British International Pictures did not hold the previous day's improvement. Artificial Silks were sellers for choice, and Courtaulds Ordinary and Preference both fell back a little. J. G. Mooney and Co. issues were bid for at enhanced prices, but no shares were on sale.

LONDON FIRM.

TOBACCOS IN DEMAND.

A generally cheerful tendency was manifest in the London Stock Markets yesterday, and although the volume of business transacted continued on a rather quiet scale, quotations where altered mostly tended in the upward direction. There was, perhaps, more interest displayed in the gilt-edged section and at the close the Consols 2½ p.c. and the 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan were each quoted ¼ firmer, while War Loans and others were steady to firm. Foreign Government stocks experienced another quiet session, and here and there a slightly easier tendency was apparent. The slightly firmer tendency evident in Home Rails on Monday was again manifest, but with dealings continuing on a small scale. Colonial and Foreign Rails, as a whole, remained idle. "Can. Pacs.," however, rose smartly to 218, or a further 3 points firmer.

Industrials markets, as a rule, were quiet, with some irregular movements. Tobaccos continued in request, B.A.T.'s stiffening on the dividend being maintained at 10d. per share, free of tax, and Match descriptions made a firm showing. "Records" finished a trifle firmer here and there. Artsilks were without much alteration, but other Textiles, excepting Coats, were firmer inclined. Iron and Steel shares continued in request, and prices kept firm. Wireless issues and Cables eased the turn here and there. Oils opened at a further general improvement, but subsequently reacted. Rubbers were not so good, the easier tendency of the commodity having an adverse influence, while among Mines, South Africans were quietly steady, and Tins rather irregular.

THE NEW CURRENCY.

In an inconspicuous advertisement in the daily newspapers and in the "Official Gazette," the Currency Commissioners have announced that on Monday, September 10, they will commence the issue of Legal Tender Notes. These notes will take the place of the present Treasury Notes for one pound and ten shillings. They will be backed note for note by British Government securities. They are quite distinct from the Bank Note Issue which will subsequently be made to the amount of £6,000,000.

The legal tender notes are in denominations of 10s., £1, £5, £10, £20, £50, and £100.

The Commissioners also give notice that they have appointed the Bank of England to be the London agency of the Commission.

The Minister for Finance has made regulations prescribing the form of statements of accounts to be prepared by the Currency Commission under Section 35 of the Currency Act, 1927. These regulations have been published as No. 50 of Statutory Rules and Orders, 1928, and may be obtained through any bookseller or direct from Eason and Son.

"RUBBER FACTS AND FIGURES" FOR AUGUST.

Messrs. F. C. Mathieson and Sons have issued their useful handbook of "Rubber Facts and Figures" (2s.), which is No. 39 of the series. No rubber shareholder should be without it.

"STEPHENS' TEA SHARE MANUAL."

This useful manual has just been issued at 3s. 6d. It contains full particulars of the tea and tea-cum-rubber companies (capitalised in sterling) in India, Ceylon, Java and Sumatra. Details of the results for the last four years are given in tabulated form, thus showing the comparison of the crops, selling prices, costs, profits and allocation of same over the period. Acreages, reserves, etc., are clearly set forth, also dividend records over the last ten years. It also sets forth an analysis of the last four reports and balance sheets. The manual will thus enable a complete study of the various companies to be made, and will, no doubt, be of interest to many of our readers.

GOOD ARTSILK EXPORTS.

Current rumours in financial circles that the demand for artificial silk is falling off receive no confirmation from advance details of the July exports of artificial silk mixture fabrics. These show a total of 7,400,000 yards, against 5,500,000 yards last year. New records are set up by South Africa, Australia and New Zealand. New Zealand has now cancelled the tariff on British artificial silk. A large demand continues in Brazil, and Britain is supplying a very large proportion of it.

FRENCH CURRENCY.

France has so much money just now that the Bank of France does not know where to put all its gold and silver coins. After the stabilisation of the franc, the French Government offered to buy back all gold and silver coins. Although there had been such a scarcity of metal currency since the war that paper notes had had to be printed, the Bank of France has received in the past fifteen days more than 700 tons of metallic money. All the vaults under the vast Bank of France are filled with money, and it is still pouring in. The bank is sending vanloads of money into the provinces for safe keeping. In the meantime, the Mint is preparing to issue twelve tons a month of the new francs.

AMERICAN POTASH.

The directors of American Potash and Chemical Corporation have declared a dividend of 50 cents per share on the Capital stock, of which 25 cents covers the quarter ended 30th June, 1928, and 25 cents covers the quarter ending 30th September, 1928. Net profits for the year ended 31st December, 1927, after all charges, including depreciation, but before Federal taxes, totalled $867,821. The net profit for the first six months of 1928 reached $874,417. The issued capital consists of 528,390 shares of no par value, and the corporation now has no Preferred stock, bonds or notes outstanding, and has no bank indebtedness. The Consolidated Gold Fields of South Africa has a large interest in the company, which was formed in June, 1926.

IRISH RAILWAY TRAFFICS.

	Last Week.	– Decrease.	Total 33 Weeks.	– Decrease.
	£		£	
Great Southern	91,715	2,843	2,595,756	71,021
Great Northern	34,400	850	976,650	52,650
Co. Down	4,798	169	122,052	1,732

OIL PRODUCTION.

Venezuelan Oil Concessions—Production for the week ended August 18th—108,081 metric tons.

INDUSTRIAL MARKET.

BRITISH CELANESE RECOVER.

TOBACCO SHARES SUPPORTED.

Although trading in the Industrial market yesterday showed no material increase, a more cheerful feeling was manifest. The Talking Machine issues gathered fresh strength under the lead of Victors, following Wall street advices. Tobaccos continues good in places, the feature being the demand for "Bats" in a market short of shares. Artificial Silks proved uncertain at first, but British Celanese Ord. enjoyed a smart rally in the later dealings, and this had a steadying effect on the rest of the list.

With Wall street in a buying mood, Victors went ahead again, touching 103¾ and finishing with a net gain of 3½ at 103. The other "Record" leaders trended upwards, Columbia Graphophones improving 1/16 to 14¾, and Gramophones a similar amount to 12½. Lively dealings were witnessed in Vocalions, which after being offered at around 3½ rose to 3 11/16, and closed ⅛ to the good at 3 11/16. Vocalion Foreign moved in similar fashion, dipping at first to 1½, from which there was a recovery to 1 11/16, closing at 1⅝. Edison Bell Ord. hardened to 1⅜, but Duophone Ord. shed 1/16 at 2 3/16. Among the low-priced shares, Dominion Gramophones Prefd. further improved to 6s. 6d., but British Brunswick Ord. were a dull spot at 9s. 6d.

Swears and Wells continued in request among Stores, the Ord. gaining 1s. at 49s., and the Pref. 7½d. at 35s. Of the Catering and Food Supply shares, J. Lyons Ord. came in for renewed attention, and gained 1/16 at 5¼, but Lipton Ord. reacted 6d. to 10s., with Margarine Unions also on the easy side at 46s. 3d. and Unies at 46s. 6d.

Artificial Silks had an uncertain appearance at the opening, but British Celanese Ord., after changing hands down to 2 1/16, recovered smartly in the afternoon, and eventually closed ¼ to the good at 2⅞. Both American and Canadian Celanese were steady at around 14 and 8½ respectively, and Courtaulds had buyers at 4½. Snia Viscosa remained dullish at 30s. 3d., and Branston Ord. at 22s. 3d.

The Textile leaders generally were well maintained, but J. and P. Coats eased 6d. to 67s. 6d., following the news of the death of the Chairman. Calico Printers were firm at 29s. 6d. despite the disappointment felt at the absence of any increase in the dividend. Bleachers hardened further to 37s. 9d.

Iron and Steel descriptions developed an irregular tendency. South Durham Steel received support from the provinces, and gained 1/16 at 1⅝. On the other hand, profit-taking occurred in Thornycrofts, which left them ⅛ lower at 2⅝. While there was less doing among Electrical issues, prices generally were well maintained. Some of the Supply shares met with steady inquiry, County of Londons improving to 39s. Of the Equipments, Brush Electric found favour at 28s. 3d., with the rest closing unchanged.

Shipping issues were quietly firm, with a few buyers reported for British Oil Shipping at 22s. 9d. Insurance shares were less active, and on balance showed little alteration. Banks moved within narrow limits. Midlands were inquired for at 9¼, but Union Discount encountered a seller at 9½.

Interest in the Tobacco section again centred largely on "Bats," which were marked up further to the extent of 1s. to 124s. 6d., touching 124s. 9d. This is the highest price reached since 1926, and compares with 105s. at the beginning of the current year. No doubt, the better news from China, where the company has extensive connections, has created a demand for the shares. The usual interim dividend of 10s. per share, free of tax, is payable on September 29. "Imps" hardened further to 117s. 9d., and Imperial of Canada finished buyers at 55s. 3d. Carreras proved an exception—⅛ easier at 17⅜.

Breweries were rather quieter, though fresh support was noticeable for Watney Def., which improved a point to 310½, with Allsopp Ord. slightly harder at 29s. 9d.

Cables remained fairly steady, but Wireless issues were dull. Marconi Ord. found supporters at 64s. 6d., but the Pref. receded to 4⅛ and the Debs. to 150. Marconi Marines gave way to 50s. 6d., and Canadian Marconis to 26s. Land and Investment Shares seemed undecided, Millars Timber weakening 9d. to 16s. 9d. Hudson's Bays held at 6 1/16, and Forestals were steady at 29s. 7½d.

Nitrates were allowed to sag—Lautaros to 4 1/16, New Tamarugals to 27s., Lagunas to 12s., and Tarapacas to 12s. Cements were easier. The Canadian-American group received moderate support, Brazilian Traction improving to 56⅜, Cities Services to 66, and Shawinigans to 86½. Hydro-Electrics held around 29, and International Holdings at 12.

In other directions, the Match issues received further attention, Kreuger and Toll closing buyers at 33, Swedish Match "B" Shares at 23 7/16, and British Match Ord. at 32s. 9d. British Aluminium were inquired for at 44s. 3d., and James Finlay at 5 5/16. Imperial Chemicals eased somewhat, the Ord. to 39s. 1½d. and the Def. to 15s. 1½d.

OIL SHARES LOWER.

General business remained on a small scale in the Oil Share Market, but, after a firm start, a dull tone developed, and at the close movements were mostly in the downward direction. Following a firm start at 5 15/32, Shells came on offer, and, although the selling pressure could by no means be described as severe, the shares weakened 1/16 to 5 7/16, the bearer shares being down to a likee extent at 5 15/32. Firmness was displayed by Eagle issues during the early hours, but no real support was forthcoming for them, and a little selling on Paris account caused prices to recede. It should be noted that Canadians, which closed at 15s. 1½d., showing a small loss, now stand at a lower figure than Mexicans, which left off at 15s. 3d. Mexican Eagle 7 per cent. First Prefs. eased to 7s. 9d. Phœnix Oil and Transport shares provided the one bright spot in the market, for, following the improvement of the preceding day, the shares continued in request, and changed hands up to 16s. 1½., while the final price of 15s. 10½d. left them with a rise of 6d.

RUBBER SHARES QUIET.

Somewhat quieter conditions prevailed in the Rubber share market, while in sympathy with the easier tendency of the commodity share values were inclined to droop here and there. In the commodity market spot and September sold 9⅜d. to 9 7/16d. per lb., and October to December eased from 9½d. to 9 7/16d. per lb.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

BELFAST ROPEWORK CO.—A dividend at the rate of 3½ per cent., less income tax, for the half-year was declared yesterday (making with the interim dividend 6½ per cent., less income tax, for the year), and £14,000 was placed to reserve. The sum of £23,230 carried forward, and Right Hon. J. M. Andrews, M.P., the retiring director, was re-elected.

BRITISH-AMERICAN TOBACCO CO.—10d. per share on Ord. shares, free of tax (fourth interim at same rate). The usual notice regarding the payment of the dividend on 29th September appears in our columns to-day.

BARLOW AND JONES—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., tax free, on Ord. (Last year 5 per cent. was paid, less tax, the final of 7½ per cent. being paid tax free.)

BUFFALO AND LAKE HURON RAILWAY—Usual dividend of 5/- per share, less tax.

DALMELLINGTON IRON—Final dividend of 6d. on Ord. shares, making, with the interim payment, 5 per cent., tax free, for the year. (Last year 10 per cent., tax free.)

GAIETY THEATRE, MANCHESTER—Dividend of 10 per cent., less tax. (Same.)

IMPERIAL AIRWAYS—Net profit for the year £72,567. Dividend of 5 per cent., constituting an initial distribution after extinguishing the debit balance of £24,171 on the profit and loss account as at March 31, 1927. They also recommend the writing off of half the preliminary expenses and underwriting commission, absorbing £20,663.

PETER ROBINSON—Interim dividends for the half-year at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the Preference Shares and at the rate of ten per cent. per annum on the Ord. Shares. (Same.)

SCOTTISH IRON AND STEEL—Dividend on Pref. shares for half-year ended 30th June, 1928.

UNITED INDIGO AND CHEMICAL—Final, 6½ per cent., making 8½ per cent. for year. (Same.)

WITBANK COLLIERY—Dividend of 5 per cent. (1/- per share) for the period ending 31st of August, 1928. (Same.)

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON:—Alliance Assurance, 22; ditto New, 23; Atlas, 15 5/16; Commercial Union, 30⅛, 29⅞; Eagle Star, 14⅛, ¼, 3/16, £14 5/9, 14⅛; Legal and General, 13⅝; London and Lancashire, £33 15/3, 33⅞; London Assurance, 11¾, ⅞, £11 16/9, £11 15/9; Northern Assurance, £18 8/6, 18 11/16, ½; Phœnix, 15⅜; Prudential "A" Shares, 24 11/16, ¾, 13/16, ⅝, 29 3/32; Royal Insurance, 9½, 9⅝, ⅞, ⅝; Scottish Union, 19¼; Sun Insurance, 40, 39¾; Victory Insurance, 6/10½, 7/-; World Auxiliary, 28/1½, 7/9, 10½d.; Yorkshire Insurance, 16¼.

TRAFFIC RECEIPTS.

Metropolitan Railway—Week to August 18 £34,900, increase £500; to date £1,177,000, increase £45,700. Mersey Railway—Week to August 18 £3,864, decrease £106; to date £143,110, decrease £1,193.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

—	Closing.		Rise or fall.
Consols	55¾	56¼	+ ¼
Do. 4%	86⅜	86⅝	
War Loan, 4½%	98	99	
Do. 5%	102¼	102½	
Do. 4% (Tax Free)	101¼	101¾	
Funding Loan	89	90	
Victory Bonds	95	95½	
3½% Conversion Loan	78	78¼	+ ¼
4½% Conversion Loan	98½	99	
5½ Treasury Bonds	100¼	100¾	
Irish Land 2¾%	58½	59½	
India 3%	61	62	
Do. 3½%	71	72	
Do. 4½%	93	94	
Do. 5½%	101½	102½	
Local Loans	64¾	65¼	
Sudan 5½%	108	110	

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Com. 5%	98	100	
Do. do. 6%	100	102*	
British Col. 4½, 1941	95	97	
Canada 4%, 1940-60	91	93	
Cape 3½ Cons.	81	83	
Ceylon 6%	105	107	
New South Wales 4½%, 1935-45	89	91	
Do. do. 5%, 1945-65	98	100	
Do. do. 6½%, 1930-40	101	103	+1
New Zealand 4%, '29	99½	100½	
Do. 5%, 1946	103	105	
Nigeria 6%	112	114	
Queensland 5½%, '1926-29	100	101	
Do. 6%, '30-40	100	102	
South Africa 5% 1933-43	100	102	
Do. 6%	102	104	
South Australian 5%, 1932-42	98	100	
Do. 6½%	101	103	+1
Victoria 5%, 1932-42	98	100	
Do. 5%, 1945-75	98	100	
Western Australia 5%, 1935-45	98	100	
Do. do. 6%, 1930-40	100	102	+1

BANKS.

Anglo-South American	8	8¼	
Bank of Australasia	14¾	15¼	
Bank of England	260	264	
Bank of Montreal	71	75*	
Bank of New South Wales	47½	48½*	
Do. New Zealand	59/0	61/0	
Barclay's "A" Shares	7⅞	8⅛	
British Overseas	5½	5¾	
Canadian of Commerce	60	63	
Chartered of India	21¾	22¼	
Hong Kong and Shanghai	136	139	
Lloyds	63/9	64/9	
Midland	9⅛	9⅜	+1/16
National Discount "B"	10	10½	
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	13¾	14	
Royal of Canada	71	74	
Standard of South Africa	15¾	16	
Union of Australia	15⅛	15⅝*	
Westminster Bank	19 7/16	19 11/16	

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—Aug. 13.				
100¼	Argentine 5 p.c., 1886	99	101	
88½	Do. 4 p.c. Recissions	85	87	
95	Do. 5 p.c., 1910	96	98	
101¼	Austrian 6 p.c. Guar.	101	103	
109	Belgian 7 p.c.	109	111	
100¼	Brazil 6½ p.c. S. Bds. '27	100½	101½	
95	Do. Funding, 1908	94	96	
86¾	Do. 5 p.c. do., 1914	86	88*	
95	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	95	97	
76¼	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	77	79	
45	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	48	52	−1
64¾	Do. 5 p.c. Reorg. 1913	65	67	−1
70¾	Do. Imp. Ry. 5 p.c. Gld.	69	73	
111½	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	111	113	
84¼	Egyptian Unified	84	86	+ ½
18½	French Loan	18	19*	
15⅝	Do. 4 p.c.	15	16	
106¼	German 7 p.c.	106	108	
100¼	Greek 7 p.c.	102	103	
19	Italian Rentes	18	20	
95	Japan 4 p.c., 1905	94	98	
38½	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	39	42	+1
47	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	47	50	+1
21⅝	Peruvian Corporation	21¼	21¾	
60½	Do. Pref.	61½	62½	
106	Do. Deb.	105	107	
92¼	Poland 7 p.c. Sterling	92	94	
42	Portuguese 3 p.c.	41	43	
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	79	84	
22¼	Turkish Unified	22¾	23¾	

BRITISH RAILS.

85¾	Great Western	84	85*	+ ½
—	Do. Cons. Pref.	92	95*	
56½	Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	54	55*	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	68½	70½*	− ½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	93	96	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	66½	68½*	− ½
28	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	27	28	+ ½
12¾	Do. Def. Ord.	12	12½	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	59	62*	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	45	48	
67¾	Metropolitan	66	67*	
77	Do. District	77	78	
74½	Southern Pref. Ord.	72	73*	
33¼	Do. Def. Ord.	32	33	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	89	91*	
26/6	Underground Elec. (£1)	26/0	27/0	−0/6
128	Do. Income Bonds	129	130	− ½

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

89	Antofagasta	89	91	+ ½
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	91	93	
—	Bahia Blanca Guar. Stk.	83	85	
103	Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	101½	103½	
90¾	Buenos Ayres Pacific	90½	92½	
89	Buenos Ayres and W.	87½	89½	
—	Canadian National Guar.	67	69	
209½	Canadian Pacific	217	219	+3
94¼	Central Argentine	93	95	
87½	Do. Def.	87½	89½	
89½	Central Uruguay	89	91	
35½	Cordoba Central	35	37	
91	Do. 1st Pref.	90	92	
56½	Do. 2nd Pref.	55	57	
83½	Entre Rios	84	86	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref.	93	95	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	82	84	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	82	84	
—	Interntl. of Cent. Amer.	48	50	
62¼	Leopoldina	60	62	
7	Mexican Rails	6½	7½	
16	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	15	17	
10⅛	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	9	11	
206	San Paulo Ord.	204	208	
51	United Havana	50	52	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	196	198	
—	Chesapeake	188	190	
—	Chicago M'waukee	16	18	
52½	Erie	53	55	
—	Do. 1st Pref.	57	59	
—	New York Ontario	28	30	
—	Pennsylvania	65	67	
152	Southern Common	153	155	+1
—	Southern Pacific	124	126	
198½	Union Pacific	198	200	

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

29/6	Allsopp £1 Shares	29/3	30/3	+0/3
76/9	Bass, Ratcliff Ord.	3¾	3⅞	
81/6	City of London Ord.	4	4⅛	
68/0	Courage Ord.	67/0	68/0*	
74/3	Distillers Ord.	74/6	75/6	
460	Guinness Ord.	460	470	
76/9	Hoare and Co.	3¾	3⅞	
75/6	Ind Coope Ord.	3 11/16	3 15/16	
63/3	South African Breweries	3 1/16	3 5/16	
19/3	Walker (John) Pref.	23/0	24/0	
321	Watney, Combe Def.	308	313*	+1

IRON, COAL AND STEEL.

12/9	Amal. Anthracite	12/3	13/3	
2/10½	Armstrong (W. G.)	2/7½	3/1½	
67/6	Babcock-Wilcox Ord.	67/3	68/3	
8/6	Brown (John)	8/0	9/0	
5/0	Cammell Laird	4/9	5/3	
12/9	Cargo Fleet	12/9	13/9	
57/6	Cory (William)	58/3	59/3	+0/3
11/0	Dorman Long	10/9	11/3	
3¾	Mond Nickel	4 5/16	4 5/16	
5/6	Pease and Partners	5/6	6/0	+0/3
1 9/16	South Durham Steel	1 11/16	1 13/16	+1/16
28/6	Siemens	28/0	29/0	
11/7½	Vickers Ord.	11/9	12/3	

INSURANCE.

22¼	Alliance £20 (£2 4/- p.)	21¾	22¾	
15¼	Atlas £5 (£1 5/- p.)	15	15½	
30½	Com. Un. £2½ (£1¼ p.)	29¾	30¾	
13	Eagle Star Ord. £3	12½	13½	
83/0	Employers' £1 (5/- p.)	84/0	86/0	
13¾	Gen. Accdt. £5 (£1¼ p.)	13⅞	14⅜	
11¼	Guardian £3 (10/- p.)	10¾	11¾	
33½	L. & Lan. Fire £5 (£1 p.)	33	34	
11¾	Lon. Ass. £2½ (£1¼ p.)	11½	12	
39½	N.B. & Mer. £5 (£1¼ p.)	39	40	
18½	Northern £10 (£1 p.)	18	19	
15	Phœnix £10 (£1 p.)	14¾	15¾	
15¼	Do. (£1 f.p.)	15	16	
24½	Prudential	24	25	
1 15/16	Do. "B" £1 (4/- p.)	1⅞	2	
7⅛	Royal Exchange	6⅞	7⅜	
9¼	Royal Ins. £1 (10/- p.)	9¼	9¾	
40½	Sun Ins. £10 (£2 p.)	39¾	40¾	
56	Sun Life £10	55½	56½	
16	Yorkshire £5 (10/- p.)	15½	16½	

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

54/9	Argentine Land Invest.	2⅝	2⅞	
30/9	Do. Southern Land	1½	1⅝	
—	City S. Paulo Impts.	23/4½	23/10½	
28/3	Forestal Land	29/4½	29/10½	+0/1½
5¾	Hudson's Bay Ord.	6	6⅛	
1 7/16	Hyderabad Deccan	1⅜	1½	
6/3	Pekin Syndicate	6/0	7/0	
8/10½	Rio de Janeiro	8/7½	9/1½	−0/1½
4 1/16	Sudan Plantations	4	4 1/16*	

NEWSPAPERS.

2 5/16	Assd. Newspapers Df. (5/-)	2 5/16	2 5/16	−1/16
2 13/16	Allied News Ord.	2 15/16	3 1/16	
—	Amal. Press (New)	24/6	25/6	−0/6
5 1/16	Daily Mail Trust	5 5/32	5 5/32	
37/0	Daily Mirror Ord. (5/- sh.)	36/6	37/6*	
—	Illustrated Newspapers	1 5/32	1 7/32	
5 1/16	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	5	5⅛*	

NITRATES.

8	Alianza	7½	8½	
13/0	Lagunas Nitrate	11/0	13/0	−1/0
4 1/16	Lautaro Nitrate	4⅛	4¼	−1/16
20/0	Liverpool Nitrate	19/0	21/0	
27/6	New Tamarugal	26/0	28/0*	−0/6
9/0	Rosario Nitrate	8/0	10/0	
20/0	Santiago Nitrate	19/0	21/0	
12/0	Tarapaca Nitrate	11/6	12/6	−0/6

OILS.

3 11/16	Anglo-American	3¾	3 13/16	
1 7/32	Anglo-Ecuadorian	1¼	1 5/16	−1/32
2 3/32	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	2⅛	2 3/16	+1/32
3 29/32	Anglo-Persian Ord.	3⅞	3 15/16	
27/9	Do. 8 p.c. 1st Pref.	26/9	27/3*	
28/7½	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	27/9	28/3*	
97¼	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	97½	98½	
1 15/32	Apex Trinidad (5/- shares)	1 13/32	1 15/32	−1/32
26/6	Attock	1 5/16	1 5/16	
14/0	British Borneo Pet. (10/-)	13/6	14/0	−0/3
—	British Burmah (8/-)	7/1½	7/7½	
4/10½	British Controlled	5/0	5/3	−0/1½
6/10½	Do. Pref.	7/1½	7/4½	
4 23/32	Burmah	4¾	4 15/16	
26/9	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	26/9	27/3	+0/1½
2 17/32	Creole Synd.	2 17/32	2 19/32	−1/32
6⅛	Eagle Transport Pref.	6	6¼	
8/6	Kern River (10/-)	8/7½	9/1½	
—	Lago (no par value)	3½	3 9/16	
2 27/32	Lobitos	2 29/32	2 31/32	
13/7½	Mexican Eagle Ord.	15/0	15/6	−0/1½
15/3	Do. Canadian Eagle Ord.	14/10½	15/4½	−0/3
13/4½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref. Mex.	14/6	15/6	
13/0	Do. Can.	14/6	15/6	
7/10½	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref. (4 pesos)	7/6	8/0	
12/0	Do. do. Can. ($3)	11/7½	12/1½	−0/1½
4/6	North Caucasian (10/-)	4/6	5/0	
3/3	Omnium	3/0	3/6	
—	Pan-American "B"	$43½	$44½	
14/1½	Phœnix Oil	15/7½	16/1½	+0/6
7/0	Do. 1/- shares	7/0	8/0	
34¾	Royal Dutch	36⅛	36⅜	
5 5/16	Shell Transport	5 13/32	5 15/32	−1/32
9 15/16	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9⅝	10⅛	
26/10½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	26/1½	26/7½*	
1/3	Spies (2/-)	1/3	1/6	
10/0	Steaua Romana	10/0	10/6	−0/1½
7/4½	Tankers Pref.	7/1½	7/7½	−0/1½
—	Trinidad Central	4/0	4/6	
3 29/32	Trinidad Leasehold	3 23/32	3 31/32	−1/32
11/3	United Brit. Trinidad	10/10½	11/1½	
3/6	Ural Caspian	3/0	3/6	
3⅞	V.O.C. Holdings	3 27/32	3 29/32	−1/32
3 25/32	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	3¾	3 13/16	−1/32

RUBBERS.

M.U.—August 13.

1/6	Amal. Rubber Est.	2/10½	
3/1	Anglo-Java	3/4½	+0/1½
1 3/16	Anglo-Malay	20/6	+0/6
4/3	Bertam Cons.	4/6*	
3/0	Bukit Mertajam	3/1½	
1/6	Bukit Sembawang	1/10½	
17/32	Grand Central	26/3	
1 11/16	Highlands	35/7½	
15/6	Jugra Land	16/6	
2½	Kuala Lumpur	52/6	
1⅜	Linggi	31/3	
4/4½	London Asiatic	4/6	
1⅝	Malacca	35/0	+1/0
2/9	Merlimau	3/1½	+0/1½
1⅛	Mooply Valley	22/6	
34/0	Rubber Trust	35/9	+0/3
1⅛	Sendayan	25/0	
15/6	Straits Rubber	15/7½	
3/4½	Sumatra Para	3/8¼	+0/1½
1⅝	Tandjong	35/0	
1 5/32	Tandjong Malim	25/0	
4/1½	United Serdang	4/3	
3 5/16	United Sua Betong	66/3	−1/3
12/0	Vallambrosa	13/0*	

Allagar	1/8¼		Manch'r N.B.	22/6	
Bah Lias	31/3		N. Hayoep	0/10½	
Batu Tiga	32/6		N. Hummock	17/6	
B.N.B.R. Prf.	78*		Pahi (1/8p)	1/0	
Do. Def.	125*		P.P.K. (C'y'n)	15/0	
Broome Sel.	14/9		Pataling	22/6	
Bukit Rajah	27/0		Pilmoor	27/6	+1/3
Chersonese	2/10½		Rim Malacca	2/5¼	
Cicely	7/6		Sapumalk'de	31/10½	
East Asiatic	2/4½		Sedenak	22/6	
Eastern Trst.	30/0*		Serdang C'tl.	25/0	
F.M.S. Plant.	33/9		Singap'e Para	1/6	
Gen. Ceylon	29/1½		Soember Ajoe	1/10½	+0/1½
Glenbervie	27/6		Sumatra Con.	22/6*	
Golden Hope	23/1½		Sungei K'par.	3/4½	+0/1½
Java Amal.	29/4½		Sungei Siput	1/1½	
Kepitigalla	1/6		Taiping	1/6	
Kombok	2/3		Tamiang	35/7½	
Langkat Sum	19/8¼		Telogoredjo	38/1½	−0/7½
Laras	3/3		Tempeh	1/7½	
Do. Deb.	102¾		Toerangie	35/0	
Ledbury	27/6		Yam Seng	3/0	

REFRESHMENTS AND FOOD.

32/9	Aerated Bread	32/0	33/0	
41/0	Bovril Def.	40/0	41/0*	
5/3	Crosse and Blackwell	5/0	6/0	
78/0	Home & Colonial Stores	3¾	4	
8/6	Lipton	9/6	10/6	−0/6
29/0	Lovell and Christmas	1 5/16	1 9/16	
5 1/16	Lyons (J.)	5 1/16	5 3/16	+1/16
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	20/10½	21/7½	
5/1½	Maypole Def.	5/0	5/3	
—	Scribbans	18/3	18/9	+0/6
—	Do. Def. (1/-)	2/10½	3/1½	+0/4½
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	11/16	13/16	
58/0	Spratt's Patent	2⅞	3*	

SHIPPING.

16/0	Cairn Line	13/0	15/0	
—	Court Line	29/0	31/0	
—	Cunard Ord.	33/3	34/3	
18/3	Elder-Dempster 6% Pref.	17/6	18/6	
—	Furness Withy	38/0	40/0	
—	P. and O. Def.	230	240	
—	Royal Mail Ord.	70	75	

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	25⅝		Galaha Ceylon	55/6	+1/0
Assam Co.	44/0	−0/3	Imperial	36/10½	−0/1½
Assam Consol.	17/10½	+0/3	Jetinga Valley	61/3	
Assam Front'r	24/6	−0/6	Jhanzie	5⅝	
Bog'want'lawa	64/0		Jokai	79/6	
Borelli	5⅝		Jorehaut	83/6	
Brahmapootra	36½		Kanan Devan	49½	
Brit. Indian	80/7½	−1/4½	Lebong	87/6	
Budla Beta	6	+1/16	Lungla	22/6	
Ceylon Plant.	5⅛	−0/6	Makum	48/9	+1/3
Ceylon Prop.	35/3		Moabund	48/0	−0/1½
Chargola	24/0	−0/6	Nedeem	62/0	−1/0
Chubwa	97/6		New Dimbula	6⅞	
Chulsa	68/9	+1/3	Nuwara Eliya	5 5/16	
Con. Tea & L.	38⅝		Ouvah	61/9	
Darjeeling Co.	56/3	−1/3	Peacock & Nil.	4/3	+0/0¾
Do. Consol.	64/4½		Pabbojan	6 9/16	
Deundi	31/9		Pundaloya	87/6	
Dima	84/3		Rosehaugh Cey	38/1½	
Dimbula Val.	67/6		Scottish Assam	42/6	
Dooars	77/6		Scot. T. & Ln.	66/0	+0/6
Doom Dooma	80/3		Singlo	63/0	−0/9
E. Assam	83/0		Sumatra (17/6)	22/0	
East Produce	92/10½	+3/6	Travancore	88/0	
Empire	37/9	−0/7½	Up. Assam	58/0	−3/3

TEXTILES AND ARTSILKS.

3/0	Amalgamated Cotton	2/9	3/3	
36/0	Bleachers	37/3	38/3	+0/3
46/3	Bradford Dyers	46/3	47/3	
23/9	Branston Ord.	21/9	22/9	
13/9	Do. Def. (fully paid)	13/6	14/0	−0/3
3 1/16	British Celanese Ord.	2 27/32	2 29/32	+ ¼
36/3	Do. Pref.	17/9	18/9	−0/3
29/0	Calico Printers	29/0	30/0	
8⅞	Canadian Celanese	8⅜	8⅝	
67/0	Coats	67/0	68/0	−0/6
4½	Courtaulds	4 15/32	4 17/32	
2 19/32	English Sewing Cotton	2 9/16	2⅝	
48/0	Fine Spinners	48/0	49/0	
—	Linen Thread Ord.	36/0	37/0	
28/3	Lister Ord.	28/6	29/6	
1 7/16	Nuera Silk	1½	1⅝	
1⅜	Do. Def.	1⅜	1½	
31/6	Snia Viscosa	29/9	30/9	

TELEGRAPHS.

24	Anglo-American Def.	23¾	24¾	
64/6	Marconi Wireless Ord.	64/0	65/0	+0/3
4 5/16	Do. Pref.	4	4¼	− ⅛
—	Do. Debs.	145	155	−5
51/0	Do. Marine	50/0	51/0	−0/3
27/0	Do. Canada	25/6	26/6	−0/9
—	Oriental Telephone	2 9/16	2 13/16	
35½	Radio Corporation	36½	37½	
11¼	Do. Pref. ($50)	11⅛	11⅝	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

23/6	Associated Cement	23/9	24/9	
8/0	Baird Television A	7/4½	7/10½	
23/3	Borax Con. Def.	1⅛	1¼	
55	Brazilian Traction	56¼	57¼	+ ½
43/6	British Aluminium	43/9	44/9	+0/6
32/6	British Match	32/6	33/0	−0/1½
46/3	British Portland Cement	2 5/32	2 9/32	
9/6	B.S.A.	9/3	9/9	
32/9	British Oil and Cake	32/3	33/3	
121/0	British-American Tobacco	124/3	124/9	+1/0
35	Canadian Car	32	36	
18/9	Carmelite Trust (10/-)	18/9	19/9	
17⅞	Carreras	17⅝	17⅞	− ⅛
7/3	Chemical and Metal. (2/-)	6/9	7/0	
14¾	Columbia Graphs.	14 11/16	14 13/16	+3/16
—	Crittal's Manufacturing	53/0	54/0	
5/0	Crystalate Gramophone	5/6	5/9	−0/1½
9/3	Do. 8 p.c. Cum. Pref.	9/3	9/9	
29/0	Dunlop Rubber	28/4½	28/7½	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	103	105	
26/0	Do. "C" Prefs.	1¼	1⅜	
2⅝	Duophone Ord.	2⅜	2½	−1/16
—	Do. Foreign	par	1/16 pm	
—	Finlay (James)	5 5/16	5 7/16	+1/16
38/9	General Electric Ord.	38/6	39/6	
—	Goodson Gramophones	6/3	6/9	
12¼	Gramophone Ord.	12 7/16	12 9/16	+3/16
73/3	Harrods Stores	74/6	75/6	
22/3	Harrods (B.A.)	23/9	24/3	−0/1½
5⅝	Henley's Telegraph	5 7/16	5 9/16	
114/9	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	117/6	118/0	+0/3
45/0	Do. Canada	45/0	46/0	+0/3
26/0	Imp. Chem. Indus. Pref.	25/9	26/3*	
38/4½	Do. Ord.	38/10½	39/4½	−0/1½
14/3	Do. Def.	14/10½	15/4½	−0/1½
12	Inter'l. Holdings Ord.	§11¾	12¼	
38/9	Johnson and Phillips	38/3	39/3	
31¾	Kreuger and Toll	32¾	33¼	+ ⅜
23/0	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	23/0	23/6	+0/1½
—	Machine-Made Sales	20/1½	21/1½	
46/6	Margarine Union Ord.	46/1½	46/7½	−0/7½
31/9	Metro-Vickers Ord.	31/6	32/6	
1 15/16	Parent Trust Def.	1⅞	2⅛	
15/6	Platt Bros. Ord.	15/3	16/3	
—	Prov. Cine. 7½ p.c. Pf. Ord.	20/6	21/3	
—	Reckitt Ord.	80/9	81/9	
36/0	Rolls Royce	35/6	36/6	
21/6	Roneo	1 1/16	1 3/16	
2⅝	Salt Union	2⅜	2½	
102½	San Paulo Tram Deb.	100	105*	
85	Shawinigan Water Com.	85	88	+1
23	Swedish Match "B"	23¼	23⅜	
—	Taylor's Service	37/0	38/0	
—	Taylor Cash Chem. Def.	6/6	6/9	+0/1½
—	Tilling Ord.	4 17/32	4 21/32	
10½	Triplex Glass	10⅝	10⅞	
—	United Molasses	91/6	92/6	
97	Victor Talking Machine	102¾	103¼	+3½
28/9	Vine Products Ord. 5/- Sh.	27/7½	28/1½	−0/4½
3 15/16	Vocalion Gram.	3 21/32	3 23/32	+ ⅛
1⅝	Do. Foreign	1 9/16	1 11/16	+1/16
38/4½	Wallpaper Def.	39/6	40/0	

*Ex div. †Ex rights. ‡Cum. div. ‖Ex bonus.

FREE STATE EXCHEQUER RETURN.

£76,000 FOR THE SHANNON SCHEME.

The Free State Exchequer return for the period April 1 to August 18 shows that revenue produced £887,291 less and expenditure was £296,844 more than in the same period of 1927. Customs look better. The following are the totals:—

REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.	
1928	£8,356,794	1928	£8,907,590
1927	£9,244,085	1927	£8,610,746
Less...	£887,291	More...	£296,844

Total receipts at £8,981,794 are £578,859 less than total issues at £9,560,653.

LAST WEEK'S FIGURES.

Last week's revenue was about £120,000 less than in the same week last year, and expenditure was over £180,000 higher. The following are the details:—

REVENUE.	Week ending August 18, 1928.	Week ending August 20, 1927.
Customs	£136,000	£183,000
Excise	281,000	345,000
Motor Tax	49,000	8,000
Estate Duty	20,000	25,000
Stamps	10,000	4,000
Income Tax	50,000	84,000
Corporation Tax	—	2,000
Land and Sundry	6,374	5,601
Other Receipts	2,418	17,864
Total for Week	£554,792	£674,465
EXPENDITURE.		
Central Fund	£27,967	£84,168
Supply Services	284,999	48,000
Total Expenditure	£312,966	£132,168

EXCHEQUER BALANCE.

The "other receipts" were—£10,000 repayment of advances for Unemployment Insurance and £26,000 from Savings Certificates. It is interesting to note that in the past four months there was sold more than double the amount of Savings Certificates disposed of in the same period last year. The only "other issue" was £76,000 for the Shannon scheme. After making the adjustments, there is a sum of £201,826 to be carried to the Exchequer balance, raising the total to £1,798,722, as compared with £1,120,930 at the same date last year.

THE MONEY MARKET.

LOANS AND DISCOUNTS EASY.

Although borrowers occasionally bid over 4 p.c. for fresh day-to-day loans, conditions in Lombard street were still comfortable. There was only just over a quarter of a million pounds in railway dividends to be met, while calling in by the joint stock banks was on a smaller scale than is usual on a Tuesday. Night money at the close was obtainable at 3½ p.c., while weekly fixtures also went on at that rate.

Bank Rate Discount (changed April 21, 1927),				4½%
60 days (fine)	4¼%			
3 months	4¼ 4 5/16%	Trade	4½	5%
4 "	4 5/16%	"	4¾	5%
6 "	4½%	"	5	5½%
Loans to Brokers Day-to-day			4	3½%
" for a week				3½%
Deposit Allowance; Banks at Call				2½%
" " Discount Houses at Call				2½%
" " " at Notice				2¾%

The tone of the discount market remained quiet, and there was no quotable alteration in rates. There was a moderate Continental demand for short-dated bills at 4 7/16 p.c. The "hot" Treasuries were called 4¼ p.c.

Only about £17,000 of South African bar gold was available in the open market yesterday, and was absorbed by trade demands. The Bank of England announced the sale of £43,000 of bar gold, reducing the net influx since the issue of the last Bank return to £626,000. Despite a little buying from China, silver quotations were lower on Continental selling, both the spot and forward prices declining 1/16d. to 27⅛d. and 27⅛d. per ounce respectively. Gold was unchanged at 84s. 11½d. per fine ounce.

Sterling as quoted in American dollars depreciated, the New York rate closing 1/32 lower at 4.85 3/32, while the Montreal quotation declined to 4.85 1/16. In the South American group Argentine and Chilean dollars moved in our favour. Among European currencies Italian lire further appreciated to 92.72½. Swiss francs were also better, and lower quotations were given for Hungarian pengoes and Swedish kroner. French francs, Spanish pesetas and Rumanian lei were cheaper.

—	Aug. 21 Closing Rates		Aug. 20 Closing Rates		Par Rate
Amsterdam	12.10½	12.10⅝	12.10½	12.10⅝	12.10
B. Ayres	47 11/32	47 13/32	47 5/16	47 7/16	47⅝d.
Barcelona	29.17	29.19	29.14	29.16	25.22½
Berlin	20.36½	20.37	20.36½	20.37	20.43
Brussels	34.89½	34.90	34.89½	34.90	35.00
Calcutta	1.5 61-64	1/5 63-64	1/5 31/32	1/6	2/0
Copenhagen	18.18½	18.19	18.18½	18.19	18.159
Geneva	25.19¾	25.20¼	25.20¼	25.20¾	25.22½
Greece	374¾	375¼	374¾	375¼	25.22½
Helsingfors	192¾	193	192¾	193	193.23
Italy	92.70	92.75	92.77	92.82	25.22½
Kobe (p.yn.)	1/10 5/16	1/10¼	1/10 5/16	1/10 7/32	24.58d.
Lima 90 dys	19⅞ p.c. pm.		19⅞ p.c. p.m.		par
Mexico	23.36d.		23.36d.		24.58d.
Montreal	4.85	4.85⅛	4.85 1/16	4.85 3/16	4.86⅔
Montevideo	50½d.	51d.	50½d.	51d.	51d.
New York	4.85 1/16	4.85 3/16	4.85 1/32	4.85 5/32	4.86⅔
Oslo	18.18½	18.19	18.18½	18.19	18.159
Paris	124.15	124.20	124⅛	124⅜	25.22½
Prague	163⅝	163⅞	163⅝	163⅞	24.02
Rio de Jan.	5 57-64	5 59-64	5 29/32	5 59-64	27d.
Shanghai	2/7¾	2/8½	2/7¾	2/8 3/16	—
Singapore	2/3 11/16	2/3 13/16	2/3 11/16	2/3 13/16	2/4
Stockholm	18.13¼	18.13½	18.13¼	18.13¾	18.16
Vienna	34.41	34.44	34.41	34.44	34.58½
Warsaw	43¼	43½	43¼	43½	25 22⅛

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE.

BRITISH FUNDS STRONG. GREAT SOUTHERN RAILS WANTED. GUINNESS, DUNLOPS AND MARGARINES EASIER. TEXTILES OFFERED. "BATS" SCARCE.

Government National 5 p.c. Sterling fell ⅛ to 99½, the Deed Stock 1/16 to 99 7/16, the Second 5 p.c. Loan ¼ to 98¼, and Land Bonds 4½ p.c. ⅛ to 93⅝. Compensation 5 p.c. repeated 99 for an odd lot.

In British Funds Consols rose ¼ to 55 11/16, Conversion 3½ p.c. ¼ to 77⅞, War Loan 5 p.c. 1/16 further to 102½ 7/16, and Irish Land 2¾ p.c. 1/16 to 58 11/16.

Banks were idle. Bank Stock repeated 298½, Munster and Leinsters Old and New 6¼, and Hibernians 9 5/16.

In Breweries and Distilleries, Distillers (Scotch) rose 6d. to 75s. and Power and Son Pref. 3d. to 13s. 9d., but Guinness Ord. fell ¼ to 45⅞.

British and Irish Steam Pref. repeated 15s. 3d.

Marconi Ord. opened 3d. lower at 64s. 3d., and then recovered to 64s. 6d. again. The "Marine" shares fell 4½d. to 50s. 1½d.

Rails closed firm. Great Southern Ord. rose ⅜ to 15⅜, after dealing at 15¼. The Guaranteed were quoted 46 x.d., and the Debs. repeated 58. The Pref. closed 34¾ x.d. buyers, and Great Northern Ord. maintained the recent advance at 27¾.

Alliance Gas rose ⅛ to 9⅝.

Trams and Financial Trusts were neglected.

In Bakery shares Bolands repeated 44s.

In Drapery shares T. Lyons and Co. £4 paid shares realised 86s. 7½d.

Among Manufacturing shares, Coats Ord. fell 3d. to 67s. 9d., but the £10 Pref. rose 3/16 to 11 7/16. Courtaulds were again dull. The Ord. further eased 4½d. to 89s. 7½d., and the Pref. fell 1½d. to 19s. 7½d. British-American Tobaccos were bid up still further, but did not change hands, but Imperials, after opening unaltered at 117s. 9d., fell back to 117s. 3d.-117s. 4½d., while ditto of Canada rose 1s. to 45s. 3d., Maypole Dairy Deferred 3d. to 5s. 3d., and Helys Ord. 6d. to 29s. 6d. Dunlop Rubber Ord opened slack and 4½d. lower at 28s. 1½d., but later 28s. 3d. was paid. Imperial Chemicals remain steady at 39s. 3d., but Margarine Unie (certs. to bearer) fell 1s. to 46s. 6d.

Among Trading, etc., J. G. Mooney Pref. shares were bid up to 77s. 6d. and the 4½ p.c. Debs. to 74 bid, but sellers did not declare. Gresham Hotel shares fell ¼ to 6¼, but Irish Civil Service shares rose ¼ to 25⅞ for an exceptional lot.

Other business done was in British Pictures at 11s. 6d. and Mexican Eagle Oil at 15s. 6d.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

National Loan.(99⅜)	99¼	Alliance Gas......(9½)	9⅝
Do. Deed.....(99⅜)	99 7/16	Bolands Ord...(44/-)	44/-
Second Do.....(98¼)	98¼	Arnott Pref....(81/-)	82/-
Compens. Stock...(99)	99	Lyons T. (£4 pd.) (87/-)	86/7½
Land Bonds.....(93½)	93⅝	Coats ....(68/-)	67/9
Consols........(55 7/16)	55 11/16	Do. Pref. ...(11 7/16)	11⅝
5% War Loan (102⅜)	102½ 7/16	Courtaulds...(90/-)	89/7½
Conver. Loan...(77¾)	77⅞	Do. Pref...(19/9)	19/7½
Land Stock, 1903 (58⅜)	58 11/16	Brit. Inter. Pict.	11/6
Bank Stock.(298½)	298½c	Chemical Ord. (39/3)	39/3
Hibernian Bk....(9 5/16)	9 5/16	Dunlops.(28/6)	28/1½ 8/3
Mun. & Lein.......(6¼)	6¼	Hely's Ord.....(29/-)	29/6
Do. New	6¼	Imp. Tobacco.....(117/9)	117/9 17/3 17/4½
Distillers Co...(74/6)	75/-	Do. Canada..(44/3)	45/3
Guinness ....(46⅛)	45⅞	Marg. Unie Certs.	46/6
Power Pref....(13/6)	13/9	Maypole Def......(5/-)	5/3
B. & I. Stm..(15/3)	15/3	Mooney Pref.	77/6
Marconi...(64/6)	64/3 4/6	Do. Deb.	74/-b
Do. Marine.(50/6)	50/1½	Gresham Hotel...(6½)	6¼
G. N. Ord......(27¼)	27¾	Civil Ser. Building (25⅞)	25⅞
G. S. Ord......(15)	15¼ ⅝	Mex. Eagle Ord.	15/6
Do. Guar......(46 5/16)	46		
Do. Deb.........(58)	*58		

* Odd lot, a asked, b bid, c cash.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Irish Banks' Rate	5½%
Loans on Government Stocks transferred	4½%
Deposits under £500	2%
Deposits of £500 and over	2½%

The rates in the foregoing table, which are those at present in force, are subject to variation.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango	Aug. 27	Sep. 10
Mining ticket	Aug. 28	Sep. 11
General ticket	Aug. 29	Sep. 12
Account day	Aug. 30	Sep. 13

BELFAST.

Belfast Exchange quiet. War Loan unchanged at 102¼ to 102⅜. A small lot of 4 per cent. Consols brought 86 11/16. Belfast Corporation New 5 per cent. changed hands at 101. Great Northern Railway 4 per cent. Guaranteed stock was done at 52 5/16. In Banks, Northern Bank A eased to 5⅞, and Westminsters changed hands at 19½. In Miscellaneous, Belfast Ropework Pref. were done at 8¼ for a small lot. J. and P. Coats at 67s. 9d. and an odd lot at 67d. 6d. Guinness 46, Dunlop Rubbers 28s. 7½d., Courtaulds 4½. A small lot of Leahy, Kelly Pref. 4½, and Gouldings Pref. 70s. 6d.

CORK.

Electric Supply Ord., sellers, 16s.; Pref., sellers, 17s.; Gas, buyers, 5⅛; Musgraves, 7½ p.c. Pref., buyers, 17s.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motor Shares quietly firm. Rovers finished well. Austin B Preference bid for, 22/6. Guys dull. Dunlops quiet. S.T.D. easy. Austin Preferred, 9/9; Bluemels, 48/6; Components, 12/9; S.T.D., 6/4½; Enfields, 25/-; Guys, 31/6; Humbers 19/3; Lucas, 93/9; Dennis, 73/9; Leylands, 29/1½; Napiers, 56/-; Rolls, 36/-; Rovers, 6/-; Singers, 60/3; Standards, 7/6; Triumphs, 14/4½; Dunlops, 28/4½; Parent Deferred 38/-.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles more irregular. Calicos ease, but Spinners firmer. Bleachers, 37/-37/6; Calicos, 28/9-29/3; Dyers, 46/-46/6; Cottons, 51/6-52/-; Spinners, 48/-49/-; "Slubbers," 7/3-7/6; Coats, 67/6, 68/6; Velvets, 26/-26/3; Courtaulds, 88/9-90/-; Dunlops, 28/3-28/9; Nuera Silk, 31/3; ditto Deferred, 30/-; Celanese, 57/-; Turner and Newall, 78/3.

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LONDON MINING MARKET IRREGULAR.

TIN SHARES STEADIER.

In the Mining Share Market yesterday Paris was again a buyer of certain shares, and the Cape was doing more in Kaffirs. Towards the close, however, conditions became less active, and changes on the day were again somewhat irregular. A certain amount of profit-taking was in progress in Central Mining, and these shares reacted, but the decline was not large when it is remembered that a rise of 20s. has already taken place during the present account. Among other Finance shares, "Johnnies" and Union Corporations were small sellers and easier, while Gold Fields, Anglo-Americans and Rand Mines were all unaltered. Paris was again inquiring for Brakpans, which again hardened, while Consolidated Main Reefs advanced sharply on buying for the Cape. Turning to Rhodesians, the feature was the sharp improvement in Chartered, the main demand for which was said to be of London origin, helped to some extent by inquiries from Paris. Less activity was seen in Tanks, Brussels being disinclined for the present to follow the rise. Zams continued in demand and hardened. Among the Northern issues Bwanas finished higher, but Rhodesian and General Asbestos sagged a little. A further bout of profit-taking occurred in De Beers Deferred, which declined again, while the Prefs. were also weaker. Consolidated Diamonds were maintained, and a few inquiries for Consolidated African Selections were reflected in an improved price. After the decline on the previous day tin had a steadier appearance, although at £211 18s. 9d. per ton a further loss of 13s. 9d was shown. The Eastern share market, however, was firm, partly on a renewed demand from the East for certain of the leaders, the buying of Pengkalens again providing something of a feature. Further support was given to London Tins and the shares rallied sharply, but Tin Selections were quiet and Anglo-Orientals easier. The forward movement in Rio Tintos was again in progress, French operators still being in good demand of the shares. In other directions, while Burma Corporations eased on a little selling, San Francisco Mines were again higher, there being few shares available to meet the demand. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U. Aug. 13.		
21/3	Afric. & Eur.	21 3-21 9
23/0	Aml.Mg.Tst.	23 3-23 9
1⅞	Anglo-A Cp.	1 29/32-1 31/32
26/0	Anglo-Fr'ch.	25 9-26 3
4⅝	Brakpan	4 9/16-4⅝+1/32
19	Cent. Mining	19⅝-19⅞-¼
27/32	City Deep	13/16-⅞
3 3/32	Con.Goldflds	3 1/16-3⅛
23/0	Cons. M.Reef	24 3-24 9+1/3
17/6	Con. M. Sel.	17 9-18 3
3¼	Crown Mines	3 3/16-3¼*
9/16	Durban Deep	17/32-19/32
14/6	E.Rand Prop	14 7½-15 1½-0 3
3 23/32	Geduld	3 19/32-3 21/32-1/16
4/3	Gelden Deep	4/0-4 6
1¾	Gen. Mining	1 13/16-1⅞
¼	Glynn's L'bg	¼-⅜
2 1/16	Govt. M. (5/)	48 3-49 3
1/0	HendiesPlat.	0 6-0 9
3/1½	Hendersons	3/1½-3 4½
48/6	JohanInvsts.	48 0-49 0-0/3
3/0	Kleinfontein	3/0-3 6
10/6	Knight's	9 9-10 3*
22/9	LanglaagteE	21 9-22 3-0/3
5/32	Lydenb'g Plt	3 3-4 3
9/16	Meyer&Char	11/32-13/32
6 3/16	Modderfontn	5¾-5 13/16*
25/9	Modder B.	23/9-24 3
1 15/16	Modder Deep	1 11/16-1¾*
1 15/16	Modder East	1 25/32-1 25/32-1/32
1 23/32	New S.Areas	1 21/32-1 23/32*
9/0	Nigel	8/6-9 6
⅛	Nourse	10/3-10 9+0 3
8/1½	Oceana Con.	6/0-6 3-0/1½
4/9	Potgeit'rust.	4 6-5 0-0/1½
3⅝	Rand Mines	3 11/32-3 15/32*
9/3	Randfontein	9 3-9 9
1 5/16	RobinDeep B	29/32-31/32
⅜	Rose Deep	7 0-7/6*
2/10½	Simmer & J.	2/7½-10½
1¾	S.A.G. Trust	1 23/32-1 25/32
14/0	S.A. Towns	13 9-14 3
3 27/32	Springs	3 23/32-3 25/32
15/6	Sth.-W. Af.	15 0-16 0
2 31/32	Sub Nigel	2 11/16-2¾+3/16
3¾	Trans.Del.B	3⅝-3⅞
2 5/16	Trans.Con.L	2⅜-2½+⅛
9/7½	Trans. Devel	9 6-10 0
4 7/32	Union Corp.	4 7/32-4 9/32-1/32
2 1/32	Van Ryn	12 9-13 3*
2½	Do. Deep	[illegible]-2 7/32
2 9/32	Vereeniging	[illegible]-2 7/32
3/3	Village Deep	3 0-3/6
13/4½	West R. Con	13/0-13 6+0/1½
1 5/16	West Springs	25 0-25 6+0/3
6/6	Wit. Deep	6/3-6 9

RHODESIAN.

M.U. Aug. 13.		
8/6	BechuanaEx	8/4½-8 7½
5/0	Beira T.Sites	7 6-8 6
7/6	B. M'Kubwa	7/4½-7/7½+0/1½
2 9/16	Cam &Motor	2 9/16-2⅝
29/10½	Char. B S.A.	31/7½-31/10½+0/9
1/0	Falcon	0 6-1 0
8/0	GaikaGold	7/6-8 6
11/3	Globe & Phœ	11 0-11 6
11/1½	Gold F. Rho.	11 0-11 3
1⅝	Lonely Reef	1 15/32-1 17/32*
1 1/16	Rezende	1-1 1/16
4/4½	R.Broken H.	4 6-4 9
1¾	R.CongoBor.	1 9/16-1 11/16
10/3	Selukwe (2/6)	9 6-10 0
17/3	Shamva	16/0-17 0
25/32	Sherw'd Star	11/16-¾
⅜	S. Rhd. Mtls.	¼-⅜
2 27/32	Tangan. Con	3-3 1/16
3 7/32	Vic.FallsOrd	3⅛-3¼*
33/6	Do. Pref	33 0-34 0
1¼	Wankie Col.	24 6-25 6
8/1½	Willoughby	8/0-8 6+0/1½
2 15/32	Zamb. Expl.	2⅜-2 7/16+1/32

DIAMOND

29/32	Angola Dia.	⅞-1
17/0	Cn.D.S.W.A	17/3-17 9
13 5/16	DeBeersDef.	13 7/16-13 9/16-⅛
12½	Do. Pref	12⅝-12⅞-1/16
2¾	Jagersf'tein	3-3⅛
8/0	N. Val.River	15/32-17/32
5⅞	Premier Pref	5 15/16-6 1/16
11/3	WestAfrican	9/16-⅝

AUSTRALIAN

13/0	Amal.Zinc	12 0-13 0
1/6	Associated	1/0-1 6
24/6	B. Hill Prop.	24 6-25 6
2 5/16	Do. South	2 5/16-2 7/16-1/16
1 9/16	Elec.Zinc Pf.	1 7/16-1½
14/6	Lake V. Star	13 0-13 6
4¾	Nth. Bn. Hill	4¾-4⅞-1/16
15/9	Sth. Kalgurli	14 0-15 0
⅜	Star Emld.	⅜-⅝
13/9	SulphideOrd.	15 0-16 0-0 3
20/6	Do. Pref	20/9-21 9
2 1/16	Zinc Ord(10/)	2⅛-2 5/16
3 15/16	Do. Pref	3 15/16-4 1/16

COPPER.

12/6	Arizona (5/)	12 3-13 3
15/0	Messina	15 3-15 6
33/0	Mount Lyell	32 9-33/9-0/3
18/6	Mt. Morgan	3/6-4 6*
1 5/16	Namaqua	¾-⅞
47¾	RioTinto(£5)	50⅛-50⅝+⅜

RUSSIAN.

6/1½	Lena Gold	6/1½-6/4½+0/1½
3/3	Russo-Asiatic	3 1½-3 4½

TIN.

M.U. Aug. 13.		
7/0	Anglo-C. (10/)	6 9-7 9
12/3	Anglo-Orient	11 10½-12 4½-0/1½
19/0	Do. Pref	18 3-19 3
3 5/16	Aramayo	3-3¼*
12/9	Associa'd Tin	11 9-12 3-0 3
23/3	BauchiOrd.	22 6-23 6
28/3	Do. Pref	27 6-28 6
11/6	Bisichi	11 0-11 6
1/7	Entesee Tr'st	1 3-1 9
0/6	Fabulosa	0/3-0 9
2 11/32	Gopeng	2¼-2⅜
1 27/32	Ipoh	1 13/16-1⅞
1¼	Kaduna Synd	1 5/16-1 7/16
18/6	Kamunting	18 6-19 0+0 6
1 11/32	Kram'tPulai	1 11/32-1 13/32
3⅝	London Tin	3 1/16-3 5/16+⅛
26/9	MalayanT.D	26/0-26 6
12/4½	Mongu	12 0-12 6
1 5/16	Naraguta	1 5/16-1 11/16+1/16
11/6	Pahang (5/)	10 9-11/3
18/6	Rambutan	⅞-1*
1 13/16	Renong	1 25/32-1 27/32
9/10½	Ropp New (4/)	9/3 9 9*
21/3	Siamese	21/0-21 6
1/3	Sth.Bukeru	1/0-2 0
17/10½	Tavoy (4/)	17 6-18 0
5/0	TinProps. (2/)	3 9-4 0
31/3	Tin Selec.Tst	30 9-31 9
17/0	Tronoh (5/)	17 6-18 0+0 6

WEST AFRICAN.

21/0	Ashanti	20 9-21 9
12/3	Fanti Cons	12 6-13 0-0 3

MISCELLANEOUS.

2/6	BarrierTrust	2/0-2 6
13/10½	Burma Corr.	13 10½-14 1½-0/1½
11/0	Champ. Reef	10 3-11/3
1 5/16	Chos.Synd.A	1⅛-1¼
12/0	ColombianP.	¾-⅞
1	HuronianBlt	15/16-1 1/16
2/0	KeeleySilver	1 6-2 0
1/6	Kirkland L.	1 1/16-1 3/16*
1⅛	MexicoMin's	1-1¼
2 5/16	Min.Sepa't'n	2¼-2½
14/0	Min.Crp.Can	13 0-14 0
15/9	Mysore (10/)	15 0-16 0
4/9	Nat. Min. (8/)	4 9-5 3
15/9	Nundydroog	16 0-17 0
14/0	Ooregum	13 6-14 6
11/3	St.J.DelRey.	11 0-12 0
27/3	San Fr'isco	28 6-29 0+0 3
14/3	Santa Gert	14 6-15 0+0 3
2/0	Vipond	1 6-2 0
12/0	Waihi Gold	11 9-12 9

* Ex Dividend. † Ex Rights. ‡ Ex bonus.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—**Consols**—55 27/32, ⅞, 6, ⅛, 1/16, 5 13/16. **5 p.c. War Loan**—102 5/16, 7/16, ⅜, 13/32, 11/32, ½, 15/32. **4 p.c. War Loan**—101⅜, ½, 9/16, 7/16. **Funding Loan**—89¾, ½, 9/16, 11/16, ⅝, 13/16. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—78, 1/16, ⅛, 1/32, 3/32, 7 15/16, 31/32, 8 3/16, 1/32. **4 p.c. Consols**—86⅝, 11/16, ½, 9/16, 21/32, 17/32. **Australia 5 p.c. Stock**—99⅜, 5/16, ¼, ⅛. **Aerated Bread**—32/3, 9d., 7½d. **African and Eastern**—24/4½, 3d. **Allied Newspapers Ord.**—60/-, 59/0¾, 3d. **Amalgamated Press**—23/9, 6d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber** (x.d.)—34/7½, 6d., 10½d., 5/-, 3d. **Associated Cement**—23/-, 2/10½, 3/3, 4½d. **Associated Newspapers Def.**—44/4½, 5/-, 7½d. **Baird Television**—7/6, 10½d., 9d. **Bovril Def.** (x.d.)—40/-. **Bradley's (Chepstow)**—60/6, 9d. **Brazilian Traction**—56½, *1⅛, ¼, 7, 6¼. **British American Tobacco**—124/-, 11½d., 9d., 6d., 3d., *2/6, 5/-. **British Celanese** (10/- Shares)—51/10½, 3/1½, 5/-, 11¼d., 2/6, 6/3, 7/2¼, 4/8¼, 1/3, 5/7½, 7/6, 3/-, 6/6¾. **British Match Ord.**—32/10½, 9d., 11¼d. **British Oil and Cake**—32/6, 7½d., 3/-, 2/4½, 6d. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—102, ⅝, ⅜, ⅛, *1¾, 2½, ¼. **Calico Printers**—29/7½, 6d., 8/9, 9/-, 4½d. **Canadian Pacific**—216, ¼, ½, 17, ¼, ⅜, 5/16, *18, 17¾, *19, 18, ½, ¼, ⅝, 19, 18¾, *19¾. **Central Argentine Cons.**—93⅞, 4, ½, ⅛, 3¾. **Coats**—67/7½, 9d., 8/-, 7/3, 6d., 7/-. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—17/9. **Courtaulds**—90/-, 89/4½, 9d., 7½d., 90/4½, 7½d., 89/3, 9/-, 9d. **Crosse and Blackwell**—5/4½, 6d. **Crystalate Gramophone**—5/9, 6d., 6¾d. **Cunard Ord.**—33/9, 10½d., 6¾d., *3d., 4/-, 3/6. **"Daily Mail" Trust**—*5 5/32, 1/16, 3/16, £5 1/6, 5 5/32. **"Daily Mirror" Ord.**—37/3, 11½d., 6d., 7/-. **Dunlop Ord.**—28/3, 6d., 4½d., 2¼d., 7½d. **Dunlop "C" Pref.**—26/9, *6/-. **East Asiatic Rubber**—2/3. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—18/4½. **English Sewing Cotton**—51/9. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—48/6. **General Electric**—*38/9, 9d., 9/-, 3d., 11½d. **General Electric Debs.**—106, ¾, 9/16. **German 7 p.c. External Loan**—106⅝, ⅞, 15/16. **Grand Central Rubber**—26/9, 3d., *5/9, 6/10½. **Great Western Rail** (x.d.)—84⅛, ½, ¼, ¾, ⅝. **Great Western 5 p.c. Pref.** (x.d.)—92¾, 3¼, ½, *2¾. **Greek 7 p.c. Refugee**—102½, ¼, ⅜. **Guinness Ord.**—*462, 2, 5, 3, 60. **Harland and Wolff Pref.**—15/7½, 6d. **Harrods Ord.** (x.d.)—75/1½, 5/-, 3d. **Highlands Rubber**—36/6¾. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—*6, 1/32, 1/16, 3/32. **Hungarian 7½ p.c., 1924**—100⅞, ¾, ½. **Imperial Chemical Ord.**—39/3, 3¾d., 2¼d., 4½d., 1½d., *9/3; **ditto Def.**—*15/3, 3d., 1½d., 15/-, 2¼d. **Imperial Tobacco**—117/9, 6d., 10½d., 7½d., 4½d., 18/-, *17/3, 6d. **International Holdings**—12, ⅛, ¼, 11⅞, 15/16, 12⅝, ½. **Inveresk Paper**—81/6. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—23/-, 3d., *2/10½, *9d., *3/-, 3/1½, 4½d. **Lipton Ord.**—9/3, 10/3, 11½d., 9/9, 10½d. **London Asiatic Rubber**—4/6, 6¾d. **London Midland and Scottish Ord.** (x.d.)—*54⅜, ⅜, *¼, ⅝, ⅞, ¾, ½, *¾, *½, 13/16. **London and N.E. Pref.-Ord.**—*26¾, *7¼, ½, ⅜, 7¼, 5/16, 3/16, ½. **London and N.E. Def.-Ord.**—12⅜, *⅛, ¼, 12, ⅜. **Lovell and Christmas Ord.**—29/-, 3d. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—101/9, 6d, 100/-, *100/-, 1/3, 10½d. **Malayalam Rubber**—*33/-, 6d., 4½d., 3d., 3/-. **Marconi Ord.**—63/9, 7½d., 4/3, 6d., *3/9, 4/-, 2¼d., 3/10½, 4/4½; **ditto Marine**—50/6, 3d. **Margarine Union Ord.**—46/1½, 6d., 3d., 9d., 6/-. **Maypole Def.**—5/-, 2¼d. **Parent Def.**—39/6. **Peruvian Corporation Pref.**—62, ¼, ⅛, 1⅞, 1¾, 2 1/16, 1¼. **Phillips (Godfrey) Ord.**—38/1½, 3d. **Provincial Cinema Theatres**—*20/3, 10½d. **Rubber Trust**—35/3, 7½d., 6d., 4½d., 10½d. **Southern Rail Pref.-Ord.** (x.d.)—72, ¾, ⅛, ½, ¼; **ditto Def.-Ord.**—32⅛, ¼, ½. **Sudan Plantations**—80/7½, 3d., 4½d., 1/-, 3d. **"Sunday Pictorial" Ord.**—5 1/32, 1/16. **Swedish Match "B"**—23 5/16, ⅜, 9/32, 11/32, 13/32, 7/16, 7/32. **Underground Income Bonds**—130, 29¼, ¾, ½, ⅝, 15/16. **Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.**—20/4½, 7½d., 9d. **United Dairies**—34/9, 5/-. **United of Havana Rail**—51¾. **United Serdang Rubber**—4/5¼, 3d., 3¾d., 4½d. **United Tobacco**—99/7½. **Vickers**—11/10½, 9d., *9d., 12/-, 11½d. **Vine Products**—28/-, 11½d., 7/9, 7½d., 10½d., 8/3, 4½d., *7/-. **Watney Combe Def.** (x.d.)—310, 11. **Westminster Bank**—19 17/32, ½, ⅝, 9/16, 7/16.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

MINING REPORTS.

Lake View and Star—Cable: "3,030ft. level south drive extened 5ft., total of 54ft., in ore averaging £8 8s. over 100in." (Note—For total length 54ft. driven, average value is £16 8s. over 98in.)

NEW COMPANIES.

The following new companies have been registered:—

John Crosbie and Son, Ltd. (private company)—13th August, 1928. Registered office, 49 Chichester street, Belfast. Nominal capital, £2,000, in shares of £1. First directors: Matthew Crosbie, 43 Wellington Park, Belfast, handkerchief manufacturer—1 share; G. R. Muir, 43 Wellington Park, Belfast, handkerchief manufacturer—1 share.

General Trust, Ltd. (private company)—16th August, 1928. Registered office (not stated), Irish Free State. Nominal capital, £100, in shares of £1. First directors: Sir George Murphy, Bart.; Herbert Dudgeon, Wilfred Fitzgerald, Francis Joseph Lillis, John Mahony Maxwell, John McCann, Joseph Xavier Murphy, Arthur Ronald Stansmore Nutting, Eden Fitzherbert.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Wind and Weather—Light and variable, dull.

Foreign Arrivals.—City of Dublin, of Dublin, 667 tons register, Captain Black, from Antwerp, with general cargo; discharging at Transit Sheds, North Wall Extension. Trito, of Rotterdam, 373 tons register, Captain Boll, from Rotterdam, with general cargo; discharged at Transit Sheds, North Wall Extension, and proceeded to Belfast with part cargo.

Coastwise Arrivals.—Lady Louth, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; Puma, from Glasgow, with passengers and goods; Slieve Bawn, South Stack, from Holyhead, with goods; Lady Wicklow, from Manchester, with goods; Sard, from Ayr, with coal; Ribblebank, Ita, from Garston, with coal; Zillah, from Birkenhead, with coal; Glencullen, from Ardrossan, with coal; Morion, from Glasgow, with coal; Kingstown, from Newport, with coal; Portlairge (dredger), from Waterford.

TOTALISATORS, LTD.

ALLOTMENT OF SHARES NEXT FRIDAY.

The directors of Totalisators, Ltd., meeting in London yesterday decided that the undertaking should proceed, and announced that allotment of shares would be made next Friday.

A statement issued last night by the Secretary, Mr. Arthur Planner, was as follows:—"In view of the difficult situation which has been created by the unprecedented notice which the Stock Exchange Committee has issued, the directors have had to consider what is the best course to pursue in the interests of the shareholders and the public.

"In their view the Stock Exchange Committee have attempted, and, indeed, carried out, a censorship which goes far beyond a true conception of the duties of the committee. The committee have, without notice to the company, sought to prevent dealings in their shares by a notice which so far as this company is concerned is retrospective in its terms

"This seems to the company to be manifestly unjust. They are convinced that the company is acquiring the only really effective machine, namely, the "Julius," and are confident that it will be approved by the Racecourse Betting Control Board.

"The directors appreciate that if they proceed to allotment they may lay themselves open to suggetions that whereas they thought in the first instance it was right to postpone allotment, they have now changed their minds. After taking the opinion of leading counsel, the directors are satisfied that it is to the interests of the company that its undertaking should proceed, and that there is no valid reason for a further postponement of allotment. The directors, therefore, propose to, and will, allot on Friday next, the 24th inst., at 10 a.m."

THE STOCK FXCHANGE NOTICE.

The Stock Exchange Committee's notice, referred to above, stated that permission to deal in the shares of any Totalisator Company will not be granted unless the machine has been approved by the Racecourse Betting Control Board (which is not yet constituted). The prospectus of Totalisators, Ltd., was advertised, but upon the Stock Exchange announcement, the directors decided to suspend the allotment. A meeting of the underwriters, held on Friday last, had before it a statement that the Stock Exchange would give full consideration to any application made by Totalisators, Ltd., if, and when, the approval of the Betting Control Board was given.

KILLED IN SEA COLLISION.

When the inquest was held at Hull yesterday on Saburo Mori, a Japanese sailor, who died from injuries received in the collision between the Kitano Maru and the Orient liner, Otranto, off the mouth of the Humber, on the night of August 11, the Coroner said that he would only take evidence as to how Mori received the injury, and the cause of death.

Evidence as to the accident was given by the captain of the Kitano Maru, and it was stated that Mori was found crushed against the framework of his bunk, and that his spine was dislocated and fractured. He died in Hull Infirmary.

A verdict of accidental death was returned.

COMPANY NOTICES.

BRITISH-AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND TO HOLDERS OF ORDINARY AND PREFERENCE SHARE WARRANTS TO BEARER.

Notice is hereby given that the Directors have declared a Fourth Interim Dividend on the Ordinary Shares for the year from the 1st October, 1927, to the 30th September, 1928, of Tenpence per share, free of British income tax, at 3/5 in the £, payable on the 29th September, 1928.

Holders of Share Warrants to Bearer for Ordinary Shares will be entitled to be paid the said Interim Dividend on or after the said 29th day of September, 1928, at the Office of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, 32 Lombard street, London, E.C.3. Coupon No. 124 must be left for examination at the Office of the said Guaranty Trust Company of New York, 32 Lombard street, E.C.3, three clear business days (excluding Saturday) before payment is made.

Notice is also given that the Directors have declared a dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the Preference Shares for the half-year from the 1st April, 1928, to 30th September, 1928. The said dividend (less British income tax, at the rate of 3/4½ in the £), that is to say, 4.9875 pence per share net, is payable on the 29th September, 1928. Holders of Share Warrants to Bearer for Preference Shares will be entitled to be paid the said dividend on or after the said 29th day of September, 1928, at the Office of the National Provincial Bank, Limited, Savoy Court, Strand, London, W.C.2. Coupon No. 50 must be left for examination at the Office of the said National Provincial Bank, Limited, Savoy Court, Strand, W.C.2., three clear business days (excluding Saturday) before payment is made.

Dated 21st August, 1928.

By Order. A. M. RICKARDS, Secretary.
Westminster House, 7 Millbank, S.W.1.

LESSONS OF THE TAILTEANN GAMES.

IRISH INFERIORITY IN SWIMMING.

PLANS FOR CLOSER CO-OPERATION WITH THE IRISH ABROAD.

This year's Aonach Tailteann will close next Sunday night, and it may be of interest to review the happenings in the various events that have so far been completed.

Eliminating the inter-provincial football match of the opening afternoon, which proved such a fiasco, there has been some very high-class hurling and football. In the international games the American teams, both in hurling and football, displayed excellent form, and are really very little behind the best standard of the home players. Those who witnessed the exhibition of the Irish-American hurlers during the first half of their game on last Sunday week will long remember their skill. The footballers, too, put up a great show, even though they had to play under conditions to which they are quite unaccustomed in the United States.

From the point of view of public appeal, one of the great events of the festival was the motor-cycle racing in the Phœnix Park, and the thousands who assembled round the famous speed track were provided with an afternoon of thrills.

The golfing competitions were well filled and provided excellent sport, as did also the rowing events which took place on the River Lee, and gave the residents of the Southern capital a couple of days' fine sport.

WHERE HOME TALENT FAILED.

The international athletics which took place during the latter half of last week came up the brightest expectations, though it must be confessed that the home talent cut up very badly in the tests. They had only one success in the track events, that being the 800 metres relay, though Dr. O'Callaghan scored a great personal success in the decathlon.

Although the U.S.A. athletes won the greatest number of events in the athletic contests, the meeting will be memorable for the brilliance of the Canadian representatives, one of whom, Edwards, the coloured runner, put up a new record for the 800 metres and the 880 yards.

The Canadians also swept the boards in the short-distance sprints taking the first three places in both the 100 and the 200 metres, in the latter of which Ball set up new record figures for that distance, as well as for the 220 yards.

The swimming events proved as exciting as the running, and here again the Canadians scored.

LESSONS FOR OUR SWIMMERS.

Four new Tailteann records were established on the opening afternoon, peculiarly enough one to each of the Dominions—South Africa, Australia and Canada, and one to the United States of America. More records were set up on Monday evening, and the Dominion representatives "scooped the pool." South Africa secured the ladies 100 metres free style; Canada all the men's races, including the 800 metres free style, 200 metres team race and the 100 metres back stroke, and New Zealand with Australia scored in the two heats of the ladies 400 metres free style.

The display of swimming in these events has been on a much higher plane than anything witnessed in Ireland before, and should do much to improve the standard here. The argument has often been put forward to explain Ireland's backward position in aquatics that the adverse climate militates against swimmers who have only a few short months in the year in which they can practice in the open sea, but the Canadians are much less favourably placed, and they have found no difficulty in producing world champions in the swimming events. Probably other methods might produce better results, and from the performance of the overseas' swimmers who have been on view during the recent competitions much will have been learned that should prove of benefit to Irish swimmers of the future.

GOOD GYMNASTICS.

The gymnastic competitions which have been conducted at the Mansion House also have been very successful, especially the ladies' section. The work of the Grangegorman team was wonderful.

The finals in the gymnastic contests in the Mansion House this afternoon and to-night should be well worth seeing.

The concluding events in the international swimming this afternoon should also draw a great crowd to the Blackrock Baths.

Much interest is being taken in the boxing contests, which will start to-night at Croke Park at 7.30, and will be continued on Friday and Saturday evenings at the same hour. Nine countries will be represented in these events, and they will be attended by Gene Tunney.

On the musical side of the festival there are attractive competitions promised on Thursday and Friday, with the contests on Thursday for flute and military bands, and on Friday afternoon and evening for civilian bands. There is the greatest rivalry amongst the different entrants, and there should be a big crowd in the Mansion House during these competitions.

CLOSING EVENTS.

On Sunday the festival will come to a close, and a varied programme is arranged for that day, starting with the International Handball Final at the Dépôt, Phœnix Park, at noon. At 2 o'clock the tug-of-war contests at the Catholic Young Men's Society Grounds, Harold's Cross, should attract a big crowd. The entries include the famous Civic Guards' champion team.

In the afternoon at 3 o'clock teams representative of Leinster and Connaught will meet at Croke Park in an inter-provincial Camoguidheacht match, and at the same venue at night the curtain will fall with a band performance and a display of gymnastics and fireworks.

At the Mansion House the final event will be the prize winners' concert.

A TAILTEANN BOARD.

CLOSER CO-OPERATION WITH THE IRISH ABROAD.

The International Conference in connection with the Tailteann Games was resumed last night in the Mansion House, Dublin, Mr. J. J. Walsh, Director, presiding.

The question of the setting up of permanent Councils in foreign countries was referred to by Mr. Ryan (Malta), who expressed the opinion that the setting up of these Councils would be of very great benefit. He instanced the case of Malta, where there were several families who were proud to tell them that they had Irish ancestors. While there was not much material there for teams to prepare and come here to take part in the Games, there were, he thought, individuals who would come. Such Councils would be invaluable in stimulating interest in the Games and helping tourists to visit Ireland. That tourists did not come here in the numbers they would like to see was, he believed, due to the fact that they had not sufficient organisations to receive them. To provide that organisation they required these Councils. He regretted that the art section was not representative of overseas work of students and others.

NOT ATHLETICS ALONE.

Mr. Twomey (Liverpool) was afraid that the Tailteann movement was looked upon as purely an athletic movement. They should make it clear that it was not merely athletic, but that it included the arts, music and Irish culture. Ireland had an industrial problem which their countrymen in other lands could give valuable help in solving.

The Chairman said that instead of proceeding on the lines to have as an end the setting up of Councils in other countries, he thought it would be wiser to have a federation or association which, in addition to athletics, would cater for the mental, artistic and educational side.

The Rev. Father Flynn (Liverpool) proposed a resolution to establish an association in every foreign country. It would be the means of gathering in the Irish together, and it would form a network for the Irish people in all countries.

Mr. Twomey seconded the motion, which was unanimously carried.

Discussing the constitution of the General Council, Mr. Twomey suggested that it should include men who had knowledge of overseas problems and the ideals which they had in mind.

Mr. P. Collins (England) said that the General Council should be constituted on a broader basis. He also thought that it was inadvisable to have the positions of chairman of the Finance Committee and the treasurer held by one man.

Mr. Craig said that the chairman of the Finance Committee had no more power than any other member of the committee, and a resolution was needed to pay out any money.

Mr. Collins said that he would not pursue the matter further.

A TAILTEANN BOARD.

The relation of Overseas Councils to the Grand Council was raised by Mr. Duff (Australia). The Overseas Councils might have different ideas to the Council in Ireland, and it was only right that they should be able to put these ideas before the Grand Council. He suggested that the General Council should be maintained, but that a Tailteann Board be formed on which would be representatives of overseas countries and an equal number of the General Council. If Aonach Tailteann was to be a world-wide movement they should give the overseas representation on a Tailteann Board, the chairman of which would be nominated by the General Council.

Answering Mr. Craig, Mr. Duff said that the Overseas Board members could nominate someone resident in Ireland to represent them at the General Council if they could not attend. The control of the Games would be in the sole hands of the General Council.

Mr. Twomey agreed as to the establishment of an overseas Tailteann Board, which should confine itself to overseas matters. The constitution of the General Board was not what they desired—they wanted different types of men on it. The overseas Board should have the right to nominate their representatives to the Tailteann Board.

The Chairman said that the suggestion of Mr. Duff took them out of a difficulty, and it appeared to him to be more feasible than any other suggestion that had been made.

The proposal was unanimously adopted.

It was agreed that an overseas Board be set up consisting of one representative from each overseas country and an equal number nominated to the Board by the General Council, with the addition of the Chairman.

AN UNPLEASANT INCIDENT.

Lieutenant Bell (United States, America) referred to the change of programme from that of the Olympic arrangements, and went on to say that he had been treated badly by Mr. Keane last Saturday.

The Chairman said that the change was an oversight, and assured Lieutenant Bell that their programme for the next Tailteann Games would be similar to that at the Olympic Games of 1932.

Lieutenant Bell—How can we take that? Mr. Keane told me one thing and then he abrogated his word.

Mr. Craig—We should not tolerate that; it should not be said in Mr. Keane's absence.

The Chairman—An unfortunate misunderstanding occurred between Mr. Keane and Lieutenant Bell about these Games, but I do not think we can discuss the pros and cons of the matter here.

Lieutenant Bell—If I get a public apology from Mr. Keane I will not continue the proceedings. If not I will have to report the matter when I get home.

The matter then ended.

It was decided that the Olympic measurements should be followed at the next Tailteann Games.

The conference then ended.

TAILTEANN DANCING COMPETITIONS.

In Competition 4, Championship of Ireland, Senior (female), there were five independent adjudicators, whose markings were on Tuesday totalled and averaged by the committee. The high standard is shown by the fact that thirty-nine of the eighty competitors reached 80 per cent. or over.

1st—Miss Evelyn Kelly, Dublin—89 per cent.

2nd—Miss Josephine Toms, Waterford—86.3 per cent.

3rd—Miss Brigid Dillon, Waterford; Miss Cissie Finnegan, Dublin, and Miss Lily Buckley, Cork—86 per cent.

Highly commended—Misses Josie Medlar, Dublin; Essie Hayes, Limerick; Brigid Teeling, Dublin; May Deasy, Cork—each of whom secured 85 per cent.

TODAY'S PROGRAMME.

3. 0 p.m.—International Swimming. Blackrock Baths.
7.30 p.m.—International Boxing. Croke Park.
2.30 and 7 p.m.—Gymnastics. Mansion House.
7. 0 p.m.—Billiards. Catholic Commercial Club.
10 a.m. to 6 p.m.—Exhibition of Irish Arts and Crafts. Kildare street.
2 to 5 p.m. and 6.30 to 10 p.m.—Chess. Regent House, Trinity College.
8 p.m.—Dramatic Art. Peacock Theatre.

THE PIPERS' DAY OUT.

COMPETITIONS AT CROKE PARK.

The competitions for pipers' bands and solo pipers were held at Croke Park yesterday. The event for solo pipe playing was staged in the afternoon and drew twelve competitors, but there was virtually no one else present save the officials. After an interesting test the result was announced as follows:—

1st, John Prendergast, Dock House, Spencer Dock, Dublin (St. Laurence O'Toole's Pipers' Band), 40 marks out of a possible 50.

2nd, Denis Byrne, Palmerston, Co. Dublin (Palmerston Pipers' Band), 35 marks.

Very highly commended, F. Solan, 16 Northbrook avenue, North Strand, Dublin, 32 marks.

Highly commended, J. Murphy, Palmerston, Co. Dublin (Palmerston Pipers' Band); 31 marks.

Pipe-Major W. M. Taylor, late of the Seaforth Highlanders and Queen Victoria School, Dunblane, who adjudicated, said that he was surprisingly pleased with the performance. He had got great pleasure out of it, and it was much above his expectations.

THE BANDS.

The competition for pipers' bands in the evening drew eleven bands, and the performance was followed with interest by a crowd numbering about a thousand. The bands were all dressed in the traditional pipers' costume, and when they were assembled in mass formation by the adjudicator and paraded across the ground playing the swinging march, "The Kinnegad Slashers," they presented a very striking picture in their diverse-coloured tunics and kilts.

The result was announced as follows:—

1st—Fintan Lalor's Pipers' Band, Dublin.
2nd—Palmerston Pipers' Band, Co. Dublin.
3rd—St. Joseph's Boys' Band, Manchester.
4th—St. Malachy's Pipers' Band, Belfast.
5th—St. Kevin's Pipers' Band, Bray, Co. Wicklow.
6th—St. Laurence O'Toole's Pipers' Band, Dublin.

The official announcer (Mr. W. Reidy) said that an objection had been lodged to the Palmerston Band, and it would be considered on Thursday night.

ADJUDICATORS PLEASED.

Pipe-Major Taylor said it had been a great pleasure for him to come to Dublin and to hear their very excellent performance. It had really been a treat, and beyond his expectations. He wished all the bands the best of luck, and advised them to keep on practising, particularly on the practising chanter and with the drum-sticks on a board. There was nothing to beat it.

After the competition there was a display of fireworks, which was much enjoyed, not alone by those on the ground, but by a big crowd which had assembled on all the adjacent thoroughfares.

BOXING.

OPENING CONTESTS TO-NIGHT.

Not by any means the least important section of the Games is the boxing which will occupy attention to-night and on Friday and Saturday evenings at Croke Park. The manly art holds strong attraction for Irishmen, and they will be right well catered for on this occasion. Particulars of some of the men due to compete are appended:—

IRELAND.

Heavy-weights—M. Flannagan has been successful in Denmark and against the German visitors in Dublin. J. O'Driscoll, holder of A.B.A. championship, 1928, has beaten most of the English, Scotch and Welsh heavy-weights; defeated Garland, holder of A.B.A. championship this year at Albert Hall, London. Cruiser-weights—W. Murphy, who put up such a fine show against Pistulla, of Germany, in this year's Olympiad, having his man down three times in the second round. J. Murphy, ex-holder Irish cruiser-weight championship, has a decision over the Spaniard, Don Juan Stipisci, to his credit.

Middle-weights—W. G. Blackwell, Mullingar, a very promising middle-weight, who was only narrowly beaten by Guard Chase in a recent contest. M. Ronan, runner-up Irish championship, 1928. Welter-weights—P. J. Lenehan, well-known amateur rider, and winner of the welter-weight championship, 1928; defeated the Danish champion, Aggerholme, last July, and put up a good show at the Olympic Games, winning his first bout, and was narrowly defeated in the second series. Ivan Miller, British Universities, Hospitals and Cadets champion; also Irish University champion and runner-up in the National championship.

Light-weights—T. O'Shea, winner of this year's championship. One of our youngest and most promising boxers; was very narrowly defeated at Amsterdam. W. Wright, ex-light-weight champion, and runner-up 1928, and one of the best at his weight. Feather-weights—G. Kelly, one of the cleverest boys seen in Ireland for quite a long time. Defeated the Danish fly-weight at Dalymount Park July last, and has beaten all his English and Scottish opponents. Private Clarke, ex-fly-weight champion and Army champion 1927-28.

Bantam-weights—Frank Traynor, one of the most polished bantams in the amateur ring. Met and defeated all the men of his weight in the past two years. At this year's Olympiad won first and second round. He was hot favourite for the title when he reached the semi-final, but was the victim of a decision which was a matter for a discussion by the International Board. He was disqualified by the referee for alleged holding, a decision which met with general disapproval at the Games. J. MacFarlane, juvenile middle-weight champion 1927. Fly-weights—Michael McDonagh, a very clever defensive boxer; defeated his German opponent at Chemnitz; also has victories to his credit in Denmark, and defeated the Danish fly-weight champion at Dalymount. P. Hughes, winner of juvenile welter-weight champion 1927.

AMERICA.

T. Lown, N.Y. City, American welter-weight champion, National champion, State champion, and Section champion. G. Donnelly, light-heavy-weight champion. J. Daly, bantam champion of America. Has met and defeated all the good men of his weight; Olympic finalist 1928, and was the victim of a bad decision. Leon Lucas, heavy-weight champion; has defeated every man of his weight in America. The American boxing team is accompanied by Monty Munn, American professional heavy-weight.

THE ENTRIES.

The official list of entries is:—

Fly-Weight—A. Connolly (England), A. W. Dawson (Scotland), C. Taylor (Wales), B. Lebannon (South Africa), McDonagh (Ireland), Hughes (Ireland).

Bantam-weight—J. Peters, (England), G. Wright (England), C. Nolan (England), M. M'Ghee (Scotland), F. Singer (Wales), B. Lebannon (South Africa), Traynor (Ireland), M. Farland (Ireland).

Feather-weight—Cuthbert Nolan (England), Fred Ferry (Wales), G. Kelly (Ireland), Private Clarke (Ireland), A. E. Wale (England).

Light-weight—H. Dingley (Scotland), T. Wilson (Wales), E. Morgan (New Zealand), W. O'Shea (Ireland), M. Wright (Ireland).

Welter-weight—F. Moore, (Scotland), R. Anthony (Wales), E. Morgan (New Zealand), A. L. Hall (South Africa), Robbie Martin (South Africa), P. J. Lenehan (Ireland), J. Miller (Ireland), Lowan (Ireland).

Middle-weight—J. McGuinness (Scotland), A. Donovan (Wales), J. Cavanagh (England), W. Blackwell (Ireland), M. Ronan (Ireland).

Cruiser-weight—J. Cavanagh (Wales), J. Meldon (Wales), J. Cleverley (New Zealand), D. McCorkindale (South Africa), W. Murphy (Ireland), J. Murphy (Ireland).

Heavy-weight—Kennedy (Wales), B. D. McCorkindale (South Africa), Flanagan (Ireland), O'Driscoll (Ireland).

SWIMMING.

STILL MORE RECORDS.

WALES'S WATER POLO "SUCCESS."

Another large attendance patronised the third day of the Tailteann swimming championships at the Blackrock Baths yesterday; but, good though it was, the size of the audience was by no means commensurate with the excellent programme provided. Each succeeding day proves the swimming section to be one of the most attractive of the Games, and with excellent arrangements by the I.A.S.A. in handling the programme the promoters deserve commendation.

More "records" were established yesterday. Miss Miller, of New Zealand, led off by winning the 400 metres free style final by knocking fourteen seconds off the "record" established by Miss Davey, Australia, yesterday, representing an improvement of no less than 28 1-5 seconds on the 1924 time of Miss Shand, also of New Zealand. W. Spence, Canada, followed by beating in his heat E. Henry's (Australia) "record" in 1924 of 64 seconds by 2 4-5 seconds, covering the distance in 61 1-5 seconds. The world's "record" for 100 metres is 57 2-5 seconds by J. Weissmuller, U.S.A. Notwithstanding the times, keen racing was the rule in most of the competitions. Spence also established a new "record" for the 400 metres free style, with 5 minutes 31 seconds.

AN APPEAL UPHELD.

The English team lodged an appeal against the legality of the goal by which Wales was declared victorious on Monday, and the Appeals' Committee upheld the protest, a replay, therefore, being necessary. As on the previous day an exciting tussle was the outcome of a game fought out with great determination by two fine teams. Wales won this time on their merits, the margin, 7-5, being perhaps a fair result. The victors were much indebted to Radmilovic for their success, the British Olympic captain being right on the top of his form, and giving a splendid exhibition of attacking and defensive play. Ryan, the Walsall full-back, was the outstanding figure on the English team. To-day's final between Ireland and Wales should, on the form of both teams, be the match of the season. It will be interesting to see if Ireland can prevent Wales from reversing the result of the 1924 final, won by Ireland. To do so, they must subdue the irrepressible "Raddy"—a herculean task for the defender told off for the duty.

BRILLIANT DIVING.

The Misses Sullivan and Luscombe, and Messrs. Phillips (Canada) and Coyne again delighted the spectators with their brilliant diving exploits. All did so well that it is, perhaps, invidious to single out any one of the four for special praise. It must, however, be said that Phillips excelled even himself, but, unfortunately, and to the regret of everybody, he sustained an injury in the process, a small bone in his right hand being broken.

To-day's programme is entirely composed of final events, and should produce the best entertainment of the series. Proceedings will commence promptly at 3 p.m.

THE RESULTS.

100 Metres Free Style (Boys)—Final Heat—C. Coulter, 1; E. Forsyth, 2; C. Stewart, 3. Also competed—W. E. Anderson, L. O'Brien, F. Dowds, P. Dockrell, S. Rickard, and H. Powell. Time—77 secs. Won by four yards; two yards.

400 Metres Free Style (Men)—Heat 1—W. Spence, Canada, 1; G. Ault, Canada, 2; D. P. Lindsay, New Zealand, 3. Also competed—C. Grant, Scotland. Won by six yards; twenty yards. Time—5 mins. 31 secs. (new Tailteann "record"). Heat 2—J. Sampson, U.S.A., 1; M. Bourne, Canada, 2; W. M. L. Maguire, Ireland, 3. Also competed—J. M. Hughes, England. Won by two yards; a bad third. Time—5 mins. 39 secs. (beating 1924 Tailteann "record").

200 Metres Team Race (Ladies)—South Africa (Misses K. Russell, R. Rennie, M. Bedford, F. Van der Goes), 1; England (Misses D. A. Wray, G. M'Kenzie, C. Radcliffe, and M. Laverty), 2; Australia (Misses E. Davey, B. Mealing, D. Thompson, and another), 3. Also competed—Ireland (Misses M. Dockrell, E. M'Elwee, S. Sherlock, and M. V. Armstrong). South Africa went into the lead in the first length, and won by about eight yards; one yard separated second and third. Time—2 mins. 20 2-5 secs.

400 Metres Free Style (Ladies)—Final Heat—Miss K. Miller, New Zealand, 1; Miss E. Davey, Australia, 2; Miss M. Laverty, England, 3. Also competed—Miss K. Russell, South Africa, and Miss M. Bedford, South Africa. Won by twenty yards; two yards. Time—6 mins. 10 4-5 secs. (Tailteann "record").

100 Metres Free Style (Men).—Heat 1—N. S. Brooks, England, 1; M. Bourne, Canada, 2; S. Scully, Ireland, 3. Won by four yards; ten yards. Time—67 2-5 secs. Heat 2—J. E. Farrell, England, 1; J. H. Morton, Ireland, 2; J. E. Farrell, Scotland, 3. Also competed—J. Shannon, Scotland. Won by two yards; a yard. Time—75 4-5 secs. Heat 3—W. Spence, Canada, 1; J. Sampson, U.S.A., 2; C. Brand, Scotland, 3. Also competed—R. K. Boylan, Austria. Won by two yards; six yards. Time—61 1-5 secs. (Tailteann "record").

WATER POLO.

ENGLAND v. WALES (REPLAY).

Teams:—

England—G. Beech, goal; M. Ryan and W. Steele, backs; J. Hughes, half-back; J. A. Donohue (capt.), F. A. Coyne and J. Farrell, forwards.

Wales—W. Barry, goal; J. Hanlon and G. Howe, backs; P. Radmilovic (capt.), half-back; A. Cooper, C. Connor and J. Shuffley, forwards.

Referee—Mr. A. J. Cullen, President, I.A.S.A.

England settled down quickly, and Donohue led several dangerous raids to find the Welsh defence sound. Radmilovic, playing an untiring game, was often in the picture in defence as well as in attack. After the Welsh captain had sent over from long range, Steele completed a nice movement initiated by Ryan with a smart goal. Shortly afterwards Ryan started another attack, and created an opening for Coyne, who scored England's second. England kept up the attack, and Radmilovic fell back in defence. The Welsh captain intercepted a pass near his own goal, and sent up beautifully to Howe, who cleverly deflected the ball past Beech. Radmilovic himself went through to equalise. Even exchanges followed to the interval, at which the scores stood level—2-2.

A smart pass by Ryan to Coyne on the left touch-line, early after the change over, saw the latter add another goal for England with a grand shot. Radmilovic was not done with, and scored twice for Wales. Mainly through the Welsh captain's play, Howe put Wales two goals up, and Radmilovic, with a tremendous back flip, sent the sixth goal hurtling past Beech. Ryan, who was England's best player, reduced the lead with a fine effort, but Hanlon from a pass by Radmilovic put Wales again three up. From the restart, Ryan scored England's fifth from over half-way. Wales won deservedly. Result:—

Wales .... 7 goals
England .... 5 goals

The final of the Tailteann water polo tournament takes place to-day, Ireland meeting Wales. A stirring struggle is promised, the Welsh team being an extremely good one. The Garda Siochana Depôt band will attend.

PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY.

(COMMENCING AT 3 P.M.)

1,500 Metres, Free Style (Men). Final.
100 Metres, Free Style (Men). Final.
200 Metres, Free Style (Ladies). Final.
200 Metres, Breast Stroke (Men). Final.
100 Metres, Free Style (Men). Final.
Diving. Final.
Water Polo Final—Wales v. Ireland.

TUNNEY'S VISIT.

A meeting was held at the Mansion House, Dublin, yesterday, at which the following committee was formed to deal with matters arising out of Gene Tunney's visit:—

Chairman, General O'Duffy, Commissioner; hon. treasurer, Mr. George Atkinson, R.H.A.; joint hon. secretaries, Messrs. Fintan Murphy and Eamonn Fleming.

Committee—Mr. C. E. McConnell, Mr. Sean Ryan, president C.A.A.; Mr. John Clarke, Mr. J. J. Healy, president I.A.B.A.; Major-General Hogan, Colonel Fitzmaurice, Dr. M. Russell, Mr. A. Clarkin, Surgeon T. Kennedy, Mr. Patrick Lynch, K.C., and Mr. E. M. Solomons (treasurer Olympic Committee).

HANDBALL.

THE INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION.

The Handball Commission appointed by The Hague Congress of the International Amateur Athletic Federation in 1926 concluded its work at Amsterdam during the Olympic Games, when, after several days in session, its final report was received and adopted by the I.A.A.F. Congress on August 6th last.

The Commission had already held meetings in Cologne, November, 1926, and in Amsterdam, August, 1927, so that its final sessions this year were to take definite decisions as to its recommendations of what forms of handball games would receive recognition and how best they would be governed. As many as a score of forms of handball were considered, and the following recommendations were decided on at the meeting held on August 2nd last, presided over by Mr. E. P. Lang (Germany), President, and at which the following members were present:—Messrs. Karlson (Sweden), S. O'Hanlon (Ireland), Wraschtel (Austria), Behr (U.S.A.), Burmeiste (Germany), and Bolmstedt (Sweden):—

(1) That an International Amateur Handball Federation be formed. (2) That the amateur regulations and rules for same be those of the International Amateur Athletic Federation. (3) The organisation of the new Federation to be:—(a) Court Handball Executive; (b) Field Handball Executive; (c) Basket Ball Executive; (d) Administrative Council. (4) That the constitution of the Court, Field, and Basket Ball Executives shall be a president, secretary and two assessors in each; that the constitution of the Administrative Council shall be president, secretary, presidents of Court, Field and Basket Ball Executives, together with five assessors. (5) That each country may be represented by only one association.

Mr. J. S. Eastrom (Sweden), President, International Amateur Federation, presided at meeting held in the Stade of Amsterdam on Saturday, August 4th, to which representatives of all countries interested were invited to consider the recommendations of the Commission. Members from Austria, Canada, Germany, Finland, France, Ireland, Denmark, Czecho-Slovakia, Yugo-Slavia, etc., took part in the discussions on the report, and it was unanimously decided that an International Amateur Handball Federation be formed, as outlined in the Commission's report. The following officials and members were unanimously elected:—

Court Handball Executive—This Executive control all games of handball played in accordance with the Irish code. President—Mr. Sean O'Hanlon (Ireland). Hon. Secretary—To be nominated by the Handball Board, A.A.U. of America. Members—Justice J. T. Mahoney, New York, and Mr. J. Howard Crocker, Toronto, Canada.

Field Handball Executive—President—Mr. A. Karlson (Sweden). Hon. Secretary—Mr. Burmeiste (Germany). Members—Mr. Deitrichstein (Austria), with one nominated from Czecho-Slovakia.

Basket Ball Executive—President—Captain Beaupius (France). Hon. Secretary—Mr. M. Barrie (France). Members—One each to be nominated by America and Canada.

Administrative Council—President—Mr. E. P. Lang (Germany). Hon. Secretary—Mr. F. Hassler (Germany). Members—Mr. S. O'Hanlon (Ireland), Mr. A. Karlson (Sweden), Captain Beaupius (France), Mr. J. W. Behr (U.S.A.), Mr. J. H. Crocker (Canada), Dr. A. Schwar (Austria), Mr. Trantina (Czecho-Slovakia), with one each for Australia and England.

Matters of regulations, international games and various other items having been discussed, the meeting nominated Messrs. S. O'Hanlon (Ireland), J. W. Behr (U.S.A.) and Captain Beaupius to sign the minutes.

The Administrative Council held its first meeting on August 5th. Mr. S. O'Hanlon reported that, in conference with the American representative, a uniform wording of the rules to govern international court handball matches had been decided on, which included the following changes:—

1. In soft ball, kicking the ball is not allowed. In hard ball, kicking, or attempting to kick, a ball shall be deemed playing it. 2. In serving the soft ball the server has the privilege of several, but not more than three attempts at bouncing the ball in serving. In hard ball he is allowed not more than five attempts. 3. First service shall be determined by the toss of a coin, and shall alternate beginning each game thereafter. 4. Hands or fingers may be covered, but only with soft material, or soft gloves of kid or cloth. No hard material shall be used on any part of either hand.

It was decided that the full playing rules for hard and soft ball be printed and circulated.

A HEAVY PROGRAMME.

The Dépôt continues to be occupied daily with contests in the national championships. These competitions were a bigger undertaking than anticipated, with part of the time taken up with the international and interprovincial championships. The senior series will easily be disposed of, and the finals played within the period, but the juniors, who entered in larger numbers, will present a difficulty.

Yesterday's programme opened with a tie in the junior hard-ball singles, but M. Sharkey (Dépôt) had a straight win over P. Curran, who does not usually play this ball. The match that followed in the soft-ball championship was productive of brilliant play, as both Solan and Murphy combined judgment with direction.

In the senior soft-ball singles J. McGrath and J. Doherty met in their second round tie. The latter is an under-rated player, and it took McGrath's tossing and faster play to hold him. In the third game it took no less than ten hands to alter the score at 7-all.

In the senior hard-ball singles the two well-known players, T. J. O'Reilly (D.M.G.) and J. Delaney (G.H.Q.), were seen in opposition. The Army man held the service championship up to last year, and is the real type of hard-ball exponent, serving low and finishing direct off the back wall. O'Reilly had one of his good days and qualified for the semi-final. Scores:—

Senior H.B. Championship—T. J. O'Reilly (D.M.G.) defeated P. Delaney (G.H.Q.)—21-16, 21-6, 21-10, 21-16.

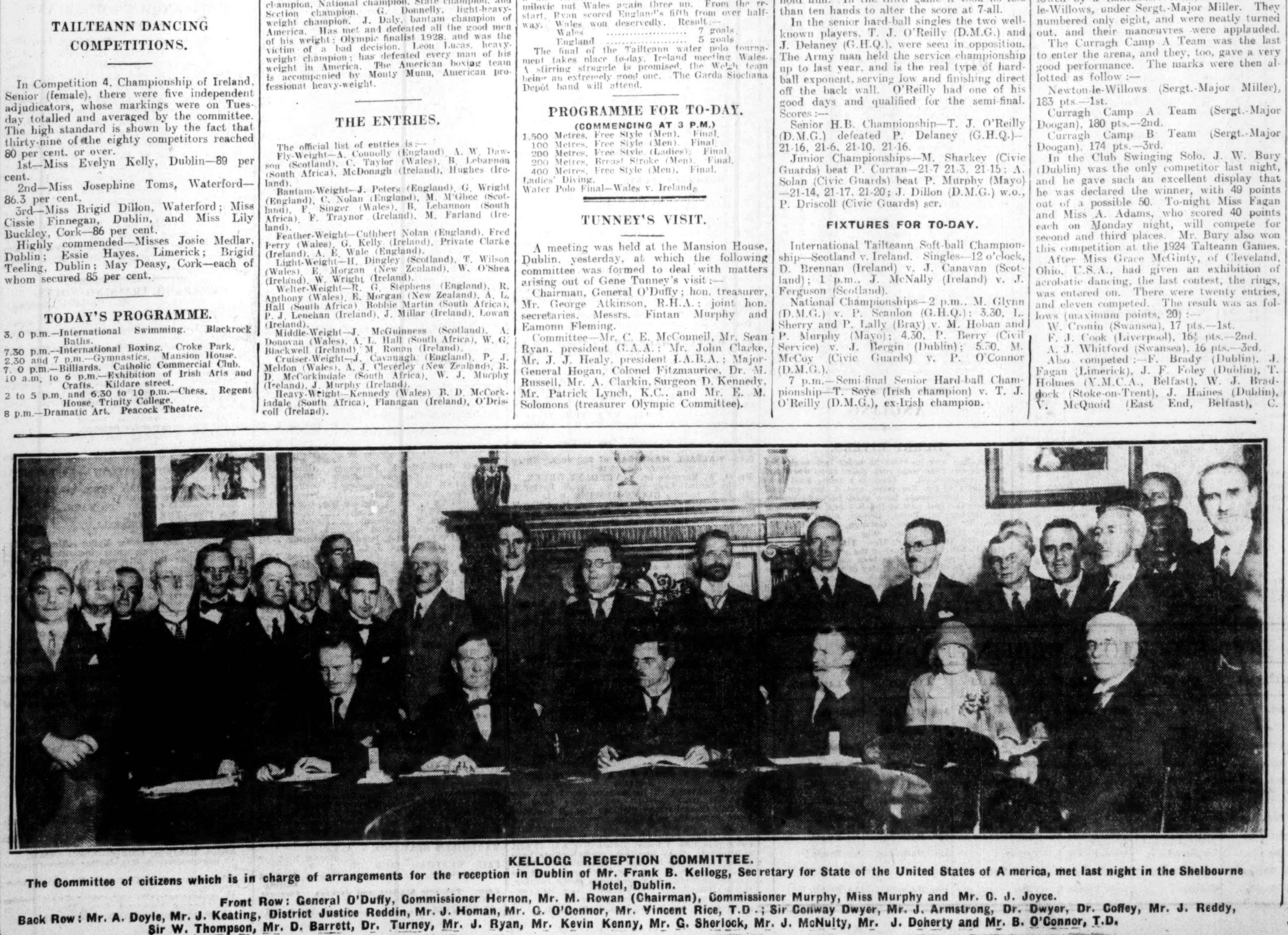
Junior Championships—M. Sharkey (Civic Guards) beat P. Curran—21-7, 21-5, 21-15; A. Solan (Civic Guards) beat P. Murphy (Mayo)—21-14, 21-17, 21-20; J. Dalton (D.M.G.) w.o., P. Driscoll (Civic Guards) scr.

FIXTURES FOR TO-DAY.

International Tailteann Soft-ball Championship—Scotland v. Ireland. Singles—12 o'clock, D. Brennan (Ireland) v. J. Canavan (Scotland).

National Championships—2 p.m., J. Glynn (D.M.G.) v. P. Seddon (G.H.Q.); 3.30, L. Sherry and P. Lally (Ray) v. M. Holan and M. Mee (Dublin); 4 p.m., J. Joyce and P. Murphy (Mayo); 4.30, P. Berry (Civil Service) v. J. Beggin (Dublin); 5.30, J. McCoy (Civic Guards) v. P. O'Connor (Dublin).

7 p.m.—Semi-final Senior Hard-ball Championship—T. Soye (Irish champion) v. T. J. O'Reilly (D.M.G.), ex-Irish champion.



KELLOGG RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

The Committee of citizens which is in charge of arrangements for the reception in Dublin of Mr. Frank B. Kellogg, Secretary for State of the United States of America, met last night in the Shelbourne Hotel, Dublin.

Front Row: General O'Duffy, Commissioner Hernon, Mr. M. Rowan (Chairman), Commissioner Murphy, Miss Murphy and Mr. C. J. Joyce.

Back Row: Mr. A. Doyle, Mr. J. Keating, District Justice Reddin, Mr. J. Homan, Mr. C. O'Connor, Mr. Vincent Rice, T.D.; Sir Conway Dwyer, Mr. J. Armstrong, Dr. Dwyer, Dr. Coffey, Mr. J. Reddy, Sir W. Thompson, Mr. D. Barrett, Dr. Turney, Mr. J. Ryan, Mr. Kevin Kenny, Mr. G. Sherlock, Mr. J. McNulty, Mr. J. Doherty and Mr. B. O'Connor, T.D.

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GYMNASTICS.

The gymnastic competitions, under Irish Amateur Gymnastic Association laws, were continued yesterday at the Round Room, Mansion House, in two sessions. The first session, which opened at 2.30, was confined to teams class 1A, boys, for Swedish drill. There were ten entries, but Belvedere College scratched their A and B teams. There were no cross-Channel competitors, all, with the exception of two teams from the Curragh, being from the city. The age limit was 16 years; the time limits 15 minutes minimum, 20 minutes maximum; and the judge was Mr. Clague (Birkenhead).

When the proceedings started there was but a small attendance. Curragh Camp B were the first out. They were badly matched as to height, but gave a good display, especially in the marching. The Curragh Camp A team also gave an interesting exhibition, both teams being under the charge of Sergeant-Major Doogan. Christian Brothers' (Synge street) B team were next, under Mr. T. H. Gallagher, and they got a warm reception. They gave an almost faultless display of lateral, dorsal and abdominal exercises, as well as marching. Army School of Music, under Sergeant-Major Doogan, were a smart and well-matched lot, who gave a well-balanced exhibition; and Christian Brothers (Synge street) A team made a capital showing. Technical Institute also were a level lot, also under Sergeant-Major Doogan. They gave a good all-round display, and were followed by St. Mary's (Mr. McDowell), a well-drilled class, with some novel exercises. The Boys' Brigade, under Mr. Evans, was the last class to compete. They only paraded nine instead of the regulation twelve, and produced some novelties. The point scoring was then announced as follows:—

Christian Brothers' Schools (Synge street) A team (Mr. T. H. Gallagher), 188 points, first.

Army School of Music (Sergeant-Major Doogan), 181 points, second.

Curragh Camp A team (Sergeant-Major Doogan), 180 points, third.

Technical Schools (Sergeant-Major Doogan) and St. Mary's (Mr. McDowell) tied for fourth place with 179 marks each.

Also competed—Curragh Camp B team (Sergeant-Major Doogan), 174 points; Boys' Brigade (Mr. Evans), 166 points; and Synge street B team (Mr. T. H. Gallagher), 161 points. The last-named team would have finished second but for being penalised for not reaching the minimum time limit.

At the night session the events were the class 2 A, girls; the club-swinging solo, and the rings. Four teams had entered in the class 2 A, girls, but Gardiner street scratched. The first team was Curragh Camp B, under Sergeant-Major Doogan, which showed much proficiency. They were followed by a Lancashire team, from Newton-le-Willows, under Sergt.-Major Miller. They numbered only eight, and were neatly turned out, and their manœuvres were applauded.

The Curragh Camp A Team was the last to enter the arena, and they, too, gave a very good performance. The marks were then allotted as follow:—

Newton-le-Willows (Sergt.-Major Miller), 183 pts.—1st.

Curragh Camp A Team (Sergt.-Major Doogan), 180 pts.—2nd.

Curragh Camp B Team (Sergt.-Major Doogan), 174 pts.—3rd.

In the Club Swinging Solo, J. W. Bury (Dublin) was the only competitor last night, and he gave such an excellent display that he was declared the winner, with 49 points out of a possible 50. To-night Miss Fagan and Miss A. Adams, who scored 40 points each on Monday night, will compete for second and third places. Mr. Bury also won this competition at the 1924 Talteann Games.

After Miss Grace McGinty, of Cleveland, Ohio, U.S.A., had given an exhibition of acrobatic dancing, the last contest, the rings, was entered on. There were twenty entries, and eleven competed. The result was as follows (maximum points, 20):—

W. Cronin (Swansea), 17 pts.—1st.
F. J. Cook (Liverpool), 16½ pts.—2nd.
A. J. Whitford (Swansea), 16 pts.—3rd.

Also competed:—F. Brady (Dublin), J. Fagan (Limerick), J. F. Foley (Dublin), T. Holmes (Y.M.C.A., Belfast), W. J. Braddock (Stoke-on-Trent), J. Haines (Dublin), V. McQuoid (East End, Belfast), C. O'Rourke (Athlone). The contests will be continued to-day at 2.30, and concluded to-night at 7.30.

CHESS.

In the championship section of the Tailteann chess contests the two players who had given Mr O'Hanlon most trouble on the two preceding days—Messrs. Whelan and Doyle—were pitted against each other. The latter had the move, and Mr. Whelan followed the Hungarian defence, or an unusual variation of it, in which he showed particular skill. By superior play he won a pawn, and after the adjournment Mr. Doyle felt bound to give up a piece for two pawns. This did not offer lasting relief, and he resigned.

Mr. MacDonogh had the refreshing boldness to try the Evans Gambit in a match game against the Irish champion, Mr. Baker. He cannot be said, however, to have forced that dashing opening to its full possibilities, and at an early stage Black got relief from the initial pressure, with the customary result. Rarely, however, has an ineffectual Evans game been pursued so persistently and so vigorously as was this one, in face of the pawn advantage and the inevitable reaction. The game reached the 33rd move. The game between Messrs. Reynolds and Varian was very even throughout, and resulted in a draw

Another former champion of Leinster, in the person of Mr. Gerrard, was put into the field yesterday against Mr. O'Hanlon. The game was a Ruy Lopez, and the Northern warrior started briskly into the fray. He managed to get nine moves into the first four minutes of his time, his opponent occupying 21 minutes. In the three moves that followed, White took eight minutes, while Mr. Gerrard was content with four, appearing not to apprehend the serious complications that were maturing. At the 15th move it appeared that he could not help an eventual loss of the exchange. White was relentless once his plans had matured. Every advantage was pushed home and Black resigned. It is scarcely possible that Mr. O'Hanlon ever maintained so consistently powerful a standard of chess day after day for so long a period as in the present tourney. Here no exception is made of the Broadstairs tournament five years ago, when he drew for first prize with Dr. Euwe, the famous Dutch champion, who triumphed at the recent Olympic Games, and bids fair to repeat the same experience at Kissingen.

MINOR TOURNEY.

Yesterday's play reduced the number of competitors in the Minor Tourney to four, thus completing the second stage under the ingenious contrivance devised by the committee to deal with 96 contestants. The games resulted as follows:—Nash beat Glynn; Good beat Richardson; J. Baker beat Dunne; Cahalane beat Wilton. The most eventful game was that between Messrs. Baker and Dunne. The latter, with Mr. Cahalane and Mr. Good, had at a very early stage been selected by the experts as likely to go very far. His game with Mr. Baker, junior, was of the most even character, and, as one onlooker observed, promised to be matter for adjudication at 10 p.m. This was not to happen, for Mr. Dunne was tempted by the idea of capturing a rook, and achieved his purpose, oblivious of the fact that the loser of the rook could at once checkmate with his queen.

The four survivors now play an American tourney among themselves after the same fashion as the two superior classes. To-day W. Nash meets James Cahalane and J. Baker meets John Good.

The White player is, as usual, mentioned first. The names left in are of special interest; Messrs. Nash and Baker are both students of Trinity College, Mr. Cahalane comes from Rathdrum, Co. Wicklow, and Mr. Good, as most Irish chess-players know, from Cork. The city clubs of Dublin are not conspicuous in this section, which of its nature must be the nursery of future proficiency.

The championship score now stands:—O'Hanlon, 6½; Whelan, 6½; Gerrard, 4½; Baker, 4½; Doyle, 3½; Varian, 2½; MacDonogh, 2; Reynolds, 2.

MAJOR TOURNEY.

In the Major Tourney, D. Middleton won from J. Casey, A. F. Falkiner from G. H. Jacobs, and J. P. M. Cotter from J. McDonnell. Neither Mr. Spiro nor Dr. Younglao appeared within the necessary time from the opening of play, and both lose. The score in this tourney is:—McDonnell, 7; Falkiner, 4½; Casey, 4; Middleton, 4; Cotter, 3½; Morrissey, 3; Jacobs, 2½; Younglao, 1½; Spiro, 1.

Major Cotter earned special distinction yesterday by scoring the only victory yet achieved over Mr. McDonnell.

BILLIARDS.

IRISH CHAMPION DEFEATED.

The triumphant progress of W. P. McLeod in this year's Tailteann Championship was continued at the Catholic Commercial Club, O'Connell street, last night, when he earned the right to contest the final with J. Byrne by beating F. Burke. The Irish champion was never happy at the table, and gave no glimpse of his real form. McLeod played very safely and kept scoring all the time, with the result that Burke had scarcely a chance.

The winner's best break was 83, and it was a far better performance than would appear on paper, for the balls rolled badly and he was struggling against ill-luck all the time. For the first hundred there was no appreciable difference between them, but then McLeod went right away to win by 329. His best breaks were 83, 54, 44, 35, 33, 30 (all off the red), and 22 (twice). Burke had 24 and 20. Scores:—

W. P. McLeod 500
F. Burke 171

SNOOKER CHAMPIONSHIP.

A start will be made with the Tailteann Snooker Championship to-night, when two first round heats will be played. J. Byrne meets A. Donegan at 7.45, and P. Fox plays M. Walker at 9 o'clock.

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

PLANTAGO BEATEN

LAW SUIT'S SURPRISE IN NORTHERN LEGER.

SUCCESS OF BLUE BOY.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

STOCKTON, Tuesday.

Terrific rain having fallen throughout the night would have made the ground very soft here in the ordinary way, but it was so sun-baked before that it absorbed every drop, so we had beautiful going. The weather, too, was fine, save for a few short showers, and the racing of a high class. Everything had gone swimmingly—four favourites had won—when we came to the Great Northern Leger, which the very little expected Law Suit won from end to end in the colours of Sir Abe Bailey. Only last Saturday at Redcar he had been unplaced behind Miscou, and here, receiving 1st. from Plantago, he won by two lengths and the same from Buoyant Bachelor and Mr. Singer's colt.

There is one thing that can be said about Law Suit, and that is that he does stay well. Dines rode him as if there was no doubt about this, and they had not gone far when he had a six lengths' lead. At half-way Richards moved Plantago up very quickly, and half up the straight he got within a neck of Law Suit. After that he did not stay on well, and Buoyant Bachelor came from behind to run him out of second place. It did not present Plantago's St. Leger chance in any more favourable light, and I doubt whether the winner of the Doncaster event was in to-day's field.

AFTER TWO DISAPPOINTMENTS.

There was a very good race for the Wynyard Plate, which Lieutenant-Colonel Loder's Swynford filly, Golden Silence, won by three-parts of a length and a neck from Leonard and Mallock. She has disappointed twice since she won at Doncaster, mainly through making a slow beginning. She was very smartly away here, and taking the lead when they had gone two furlongs, she stayed there.

The Duke of Portland's Leonard, who had been badly away, dashed through the field in the last furlong to get second place. It was a promising performance by this colt, who had only run once before. He is not trained by F. Darling with the rest of the Duke's horses, but by Elsey at Malton.

It was no great compliment to the handicaper when odds were asked for about Blue Boy in the Stewards' Handicap, which he won by half a length and the same from Knight of the Grail and Sea Crag. He only won under severe pressure; for Knight of the Grail, who had been baulked, was catching him very fast at the finish, and would have won with another fifty yards to go.

HIS BEST PERFORMANCE.

It was the best performance which Knight of the Grail has put up this season. Sea Crag was said not to be quite at his best, but he ran a real good race. If reasonably handicapped in the Cambridgeshire, he can be well expected to give a good account of himself.

The owner and trainer of Knight of the Grail, Sir Delves Broughton and Mr. Farquharson, won the opening race of the afternoon with Pheidon, a horse by Argos, bred at Navan by Captain H. J. Cullen. Though he is in plating company now, he has a good deal of his old speed, and he won cantering from Dunboyne, with odds laid on him; and the odds-on chance, Polterre, won the two-year-old selling plate in a canter from a couple of moderate North-country two-year-olds.

KIRKHEATON'S SUCCESS.

Mr. Fred. Straker, who used to own Blue Dun, has not run many horses since Captain Bewicke retired from training, but he took the Harry Fowler Welter Handicap with Kirkheaton from Lord Durham's Dolman, who had every chance when the winner, who is trained by Tom Cannon, came on the outside and won easy at the finish.

The Northern stables did not have a turn until the last race of the day, which Sam Armstrong's stable won with Culzean, who beat Glide by a length. The Tetrameter colt owed his victory to the powerful finish ridden by Richards, for whom the boy on Glide was no match.

There should be very good racing here to-morrow, when the Stockton Handicap is the chief event. Royal Falcon will be fancied for this, but I prefer the chance of POLYANTHUS, as, although the going will suit Knud, his trainer may not have him fit on account of the hard ground. ANN HATHAWAY should win the Hardwicke Plate and BEARSKIN the Lambton Stakes.

At Bath BOXING GLOVE may win the Foal Stakes, LIGHTS O' LONDON the Bath Handicap, and PICTURA the Sprint Handicap.

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FORM HORSES.

STOCKTON.

1.45—Big Ben.
2.15—Le Murian (nap).
2.45—Ramon.
3.15—Verte Feuille f.
3.45—Royal Falcon.
4.15—Pure Gem.
4.45—Au Revoir.

BATH.

2. 0—The Blower.
2.30—Irish Water.
3. 0—Sirene.
3.30—Lights o' London.
4. 0—Picture.
4.30—West Wicklow.

Eclipse.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily Sketch:—Double — Polyanthus and Bethlena.

Daily Mirror:—Double—Bright Steel (nap) and Sirene (Bath).

Daily Express:—Safety Bet—Kossolian (to win). Double—Kossolian and Big Ben.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

Closing of Entries.

Owners and trainers should note that entries close to-day for Phœnix Park, Powerstown Park, Ballinrobe and Proudstown Park Meetings.

Out of the Ebor.

Royal Pom, Sir Delves Broughton's only candidate, and a well-handicapped one at that, in the Ebor Handicap, was withdrawn yesterday. M. D. Peacock's Primrose League, the winner of the Northumberland Plate, has also been scratched, but the Middleham trainer has Border Minstrel, Pruth, Polyanthus and The Blade all left in with light weights.

Grandace's Trial.

It is now stated that Lord Glanely was not present at Newmarket on Monday to see the trial which Grandace won from Navigator and other horses. Lord Glanely is at Marienbad, whence he is due to return this week.

BALLINROBE RACES,
4th SEPTEMBER.
All Races for above CLOSE TO-DAY with Mr. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin. See Articles "Racing Calendar" or "Sport," and "Irish Field."—(Advt.)

MALLOW.

INTERESTING SPORT.

A MADDENSTOWN DOUBLE.

The opening day at Mallow was favoured by weather of a very genial character, and a fair-sized crowd witnessed the racing, which, except for the opening event, was interesting.

Average, who won two races at Tramore, carried her 10lb. penalty to victory in the County Cork Plate. Her only opponent was Spare Time, who for a long way looked like contesting the issue. A slight mistake at the last hurdle, however, spoiled her chance, and Average, who was always in the lead, scored a bit comfortably. Duke of Florence and Dunbarry Star, the joint favourites for the Rakes of Mallow Steeplechase, were both well beaten by Blue Lookout, who was nearly a furlong in front at one stage. Duke of Florence did make up some of the leeway, but, once the last fence had been negotiated, Blue Lookout drew away again and won very easily. There was a splendid finish for the Kanturk Plate, and Wing, on Koscie's Star, gave one of his best riding exhibitions when overtaking Glasborough to win by half a length.

Dream On and Hilarious had the race for the Mallow Summer Cup between them for practically all the journey. Dream On got about a length and a half advantage at the start which stood her in good stead, and in a great set-to she prevailed by a neck over Sir Thomas Dixon's colt. Dreamy Knight and Good Child spoiled their chances at the start, and some of the others were also slow to begin.

Dublin Bay had what was practically a bloodless victory in the Fermoy Steeplechase, for Queen of the Feast, his only opponent, threw her rider three fences from home at a stage when she was going just as well as the ultimate winner. Wing had a second winning ride on Melleray's Page in the Blackwater Plate, which Mr. G. Manning's mare won in ready style. Details:—

2.50—**COUNTY CORK PLATE** of 50 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1½ m.
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's b. f. AVERAGE, by Argosy—Minster Vale, 4, 10-9 ......T. McNeill 1
Mr. A. Lowry's SPARE TIME, 6, 10-1 ......J. Lynn, junior 2
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—2 to 1 on AVERAGE.
Average made all the running, and won by two lengths.

3.20—**RAKES OF MALLOW PLATE** of 50 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2 m.
Mr. L. Scott's ch. m. BLUE LOOKOUT, by Brave Chap—Tyranness, 5, 10-5 ......J. McNeill 1
Mrs. Darby-Rogers' DUKE OF FLORENCE, a, 10-10 ......T. B. Cullinan 2
Mrs. M. G. Scott's DUNBARRY STAR, 6, 12-2 ......Major R. H. Scott 3
Mr. E. S. O'Grady's Cleko, 6, 10-11 ......Mr. W. T. O'Grady 0
(Winner trained by T. Perry.)
Betting—6 to 4 each agst. Duke of Florence and Dunbarry Star, 3 to 1 BLUE LOOKOUT, 100 to 8 Cleko.
Blue Lookout settled down with a long lead of Duke of Florence, Dunbarry Star, and Cleko, and, leading throughout, won by eight lengths; twenty lengths separated second and third.

3.50—**KANTURK PLATE** of 50 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 1 m. 1 f.
Mr. H. C. McNally's bl. or br. g. KOSCIE'S STAR, by Koscinsko—Shooting Match, 3, 9-5 ......M. Wing 1
Sir T. R. A. Morris' GLASSBOROUGH, 4, 9-10 ......E. Quirke 2
Mr. J. S. Shepherd's JUNADA, 3, 9-5...J. Moylan 3
Mr. J. Hunter's Nell Gwynne, 4, 10-1...J. Hunter 0
Mr. John O'Callaghan's Flying Irish, 4, 9-10 ......J. Harty 0
Mr. T. Ray's Parteen, 4, 9-0......L. Keating 0
(Winner trained by J. Staunton.)
Betting—6 to 4 agst. KOSCIE'S STAR, 3 to 1 Glassborough, 4 to 1 each Junada and Nell Gwynn, 10 to 1 each Parteen and Flying Irish.
Glassborough led from Parteen, Junada, Koscie's Star, Nell Gwynn, and Flying Irish, until close home, when Koscie's Star challenged, to win by half a length; five lengths separated second and third, Nell Gwynne was fourth and Flying Irish next.

4.20—**MALLOW SUMMER CUP,** value 50 sovs., with 50 sovs. added. A handicap for two-year-olds. 5 f.
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's bl. f. DREAM ON, by Rochester—La Reve, 7-5 ......G. McQuillan 1
Sir T. Dixon's HILARIOUS, 8-12 ......M. Wing 2
Mr. W. E. Melbourne's OHIO'S GIFT, 7-12 ......W. Howard 3
Mr. J. Crosbie's Tuton, 8-1 ......G. Wallis 0
Mr. W. Coffey's Dreamy Knight, 8-3 J. H. Harty 0
Mr. E. Wallace's Greenly Island, 7-13 (car. 8-0) ......D. Ward 0
Major Dixon's Good Child, 7-7 ......R. Cullen 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. DREAM ON, 3 to 1 Hilarious, 4 to 1 each Ohio's Gift and Dreamy Knight, 20 to 1 any other.
Good Child stood still at the rise of the tapes and Dreamy Knight swerved. Dream On was the quickest to show in front, attended by Hilarious and Greenly Island, with Ohio's Gift next, and resisting the challenge of Hilarious, Dream On won by a neck; four lengths separated second and third. Tuton was fourth, Dreamy Knight fifth, Good Child sixth, and Greenly Island last.

4.50—**FERMOY PLATE** of 55 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 2 m.
Mrs. H. Smyth's b. g. DUBLIN BAY, by Argosy or Loch Lomond—Semi-Girl, 5, 10-9 ......Jno. Regan 1
Mr. M. Meagher's Queen of the Feast, a, 10-7 ......Mr. H. Meagher 0
(Winner trained by Holroyd Smyth.)
No betting.
Dublin Bay led throughout, Queen of the Feast falling at the third-last fence.

5.20—**BLACKWATER PLATE** of 50 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1½ m.
Mr. G. Manning's b. g. MELLERAY'S PAGE, by Melleray—Story Book, 5, 9-1 M. Wing 1
Mr. G. J. Barry's ST. EMINENCE, a, 10-5 ......E. Quirke 2
Mr. D. P. O'Brien's DERMOT'S PET, 4, 8-0 ......R. Cullen 3
(Winner trained by R. Moss.)
Betting—5 to 4 on MELLERAY'S PAGE, 6 to 4 agst. St. Eminence, 8 to 1 Dermot's Pet.
St. Eminence led from Melleray's Page and Dermot's Pet to the distance, when Melleray's Page headed St. Eminence, to win by eight lengths; ten lengths separated second and third.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

The principal race on the second day's card is the Tailteann Gold Cup, for which a good-sized field may be expected. East Galway will not be among the number, but Ardsallagh, who likes the course, will attempt to give weight away to his opponents. Selections are appended:—

Duhallow Plate—**Cotula.**
Buttevant Plate—**Bally Yarn.**
Cove Plate—**Golden Lullaby.**
Tailteann Gold Cup—**St. Dromack.**
Mallow Spa Plate—**The Kiwi.**
Doneraile Plate—**Rockabill.**

2.50—**DUHALLOW (S.) PLATE** of 50 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1½ m. Age st. lb.
BRAEMAR (10lb. ex.) (Mr. J. J. Foley) ......Owner a 12 7
KNOCKBARREN (Mr. H. J. Tully)..Owner a 12 0
COURT PICTURE (Mr. T. P. O'Brien) ......Collins a 12 0
CALENDIO (10lb. ex.) (Mr. J. Harte) ......J. Kitwan 5 11 9
LADY SILVERN (Mr. A. Lowry)...Dawson 5 11 7
BEDDGELERT (Mr. W. J. Byrne)...Owner 6 11 6
PRECIOUS GEM (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) ......Owner 4 11 4
COTULA (Mr. A. Lowry)......Dawson a 11 4
WILD ORB (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)..Owner a 11 1
UNCLE HUGH (Mr. A. Lowry)......Dawson 4 11 1
SWEET LADY (Mr. P. Sheehan)...Owner a 10 13
SAY (Mr. G. Manning)......Moss a 10 5

3.20—**BUTTEVANT PLATE** of 50 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 3 m. Age st. lb.
SOUTHERN WITCH (Col. Sir G. Abercromby) ......Hartigan a 12 3
BEN MACREE (Mr. C. Joyce)......Owner a 12 3
BARRY OGUE (Miss M. M'Donnell) ......M'Donnell a 12 3
BALLY YARN (Mr. M. Macabe)......Arnott 6 12 3
CLEKO (Mr. E. S. O'Grady)......Owner 6 12 3

3.50—**COVE PLATE** of 50 sovs. For two years old. 5 f. st. lb.
GOLDEN LULLABY (Count McCormack) ......O'Ferrall 9 8
TUTON (Mr. J. Crosbie)......Collins 8 13
DE COURCY (Mr. S. C. Dawson)......Ussher 8 8
LADY ROSSMORE (Mr. John Doyle)......Owner 8 8
GOLDEN RIVER (Mr. H. M'Alinden)..Ussher 8 8
HARUM SCARUM (Mr. F. Burke)......Collins 8 7
DREAMY KNIGHT (Mr. W. Coffey)......Perry 8 7
KNOCKNACARRY (Major Dixon)......Behan 8 3
TETRA-BROOK (Mr. B. Gallagher)...Dawson 8 3
SCATTERBRAIN (Mr. S. Grehan)......Hunter 8 3
KEEP MOVING (Mr. H. M. Hartigan)..Owner 8 3
POLEDIP (Miss M. M'Donnell)......M'Donnell 8 3
TAVORA (Capt. W Molony)......Owner 8 3
SYLVIA LLOYD (John, Count M'Cormack) ......O'Ferrall 8 3
CAVERN (Mr. J. T. Rogers)......Owner 8 3
GRACEFUL POLLY (Mr. H. M. Thompson) ......Owner 8 3

4.20—**TAILTEANN GOLD CUP,** value 75 sovs., with 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1 m. 1 f. Age st. lb.
ARDSALLAGH (Mr. A. M'Cann)..Dawson 5 9 9

STOCKTON TO-DAY: *PROBABLE STARTERS AND BETTING.*

SELECTIONS.

Norton Selling Handicap—**Bright Steel.**
Mandale Selling Plate—**Rafnam.**
Zetland Plate—**Ramon.**
Lambton Stakes—**Verte Feuille filly.**
Stockton Handicap—**Knud.***
Hardwicke Plate—**Ann Hathaway.**
County Stand Handicap—**Bethlena.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Knud (Stockton) and **Toff** (Bath).

1.45—**NORTON SELLING HANDICAP** of 200 sovs. 5 f. Age st. lb.
PLOVER (Mr. W. H. Thorpe)...Pollock 4 9 0
BERNITA (Mr. F. Hartigan) Hartigan 4 8 11
SUNNY SOUTH (Mr. J. Benson)...Elsey a 8 5
WEARING A CROWN (Mr. W. T. Sears) ......Leach, jun. 5 8 5
BRIGHT STEEL (Ld. Glanely)...Marsh 3 7 12
DOUBLE GIFT (Mr. T. Queen) Thomson a 7 11
BIG BEN (Mr. J. Simmonds)...H. Smyth 5 7 10
BISQUE (Ld. Wavertree)......P. Yates 5 7 10
APLOMA (Major W. Beatty)......Beatty 3 7 9
BENEDICTUS (7lb. ex.) (Mrs. Fletcher) ......Dale 3 7 9
DUNBOYNE (Mr. Briscoe)...H. Leader 4 7 8
BOULEVARD (Mr. J. Cooper)......Hogg 3 7 8
THE SHRIMP (Sir Abe Bailey)...R. Day 3 7 5
ARDOUR (Mrs. B. C. Fairfax)......Binnie 3 7 5
FAIR PAULINE (Mr. Moseby)...Beeby 4 7 5
BLUE ISLE (Mr. E. Hill)...Wal. Griggs 3 7 3
DECEIT (Mr. John Burns)......J. Burns 5 7 3
SUNDAY RAMBLER (Mr. P. Higgins) ......M'Guigan a 6 12
VESINGTON HERO (Mr. Dixon) Private 3 6 9
ANGELE'S HOPE (Mr. J. Bell)...M'Call 6 7 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
004	PLOVER	C. Ray	6/1
004	SUNNY SOUTH	C. Childs	8/1
000	BRIGHT STEEL	G. Richards	4/1
014	DOUBLE GIFT	R. Jones	5/1
202	BIG BEN	Packham	5/2
0	BISQUE	S. Donoghue	10/1
004	ARDOUR	E. Fox	10/1
223	BLUE SOL	C. Brown	7/1
000	SUNDAY RAMBLER	Stephenson	8/1
32	VESINGTON HERO	Magee	4/1

2.15—**MANDALE SELLING PLATE** of 300 sovs. 7 f. Age st. lb.
PHARISEE (Mr. W. J. Peck)......Threlfell 4 9 7
HARPAGON (Mr. W. H. Thorpe) Pollock 5 9 7
BLYTH WARRIOR (Ld. Barnby) Peacock 6 8 13
EXCLAMATION (late Titan) (Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen) ......O. Bell 5 8 11
LEMURIAN (Mr. A. P. Curzon-Howe) ......Hammond 4 8 11
RAFNAM (Mr. F. L. Plummer) ...Bellerby a 8 11
TOO EAGER (Capt. A. Stanley Wilson) ......Hammett a 8 11
JOHN'S SON (Mrs. H. E. Beddington) ......F. Hartigan 5 8 11
CREOLIAN (Capt. E. F. Angler) D. Taylor a 8 8
WYKEHAM (Lt.-Col. J. Carruthers) ......R. J. Colling a 8 8
NUN OF KENT (Mr. A. Douglas-Pennant) ......Hogg 4 8 8
WARNING CRY (Mr. R. L. Glasspool) ......C. Leader 5 8 8
SKY PILOT (Mrs. J. de Selincourt) ......J. Anthony 6 8 9
L'HAUT VERT (Mr. H. Smyth) H. Smyth 6 8 8
SILVER ISLAND (Mr. B. Wilson) ......F. A. Brown a 8 8
SHOESTRING (Mr. G. Baxter) Gunter 4 8 8
SOME PEP (Lt.-Col. J. Carruthers) ......R. J. Colling 3 8 2

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
000	HARPAGON	H. Wragg	5/1
410	BLYTH WARRIOR	J. Taylor	7/2
301	LEMURIAN	H. Leach	9/4
112	RAFNAM	Jameson	7/1
112	TOO EAGER	Thwaites	8/1
040	NUN OF KENT	G. Richards	4/1
010	WARNING CRY	Perryman	6/1
213	SKY PILOT	Dines	10/1
301	SILVER ISLAND	H. Beasley	10/1
021	SHOESTRING	A. Balding	8/1

2.45—**ZETLAND PLATE** of 300 sovs. 1¼ m. Age st. lb.
JOLLY FRIAR (Mrs. R. Cheape) ......Easterby 5 8 11
PRINCE CHERRY (Commander E. W. B. Leake) ......J. Burns 4 8 11
ROYAL FALLOCH (Mr. G. P. Sanday) ......Sanday 6 8 11
THE PHILOSOPHER (Mr. R. Walker) ......Digby 4 8 11
ESLA (Ld. Londonderry) ......O. Bell 3 8 4
VERDANT GREEN (Mr. O. W. Rayner) ......East 3 8 4
INCHCAPE BELL (Ld. Dewar) ......M. Hartigan 3 8 2
LAST VERSE (Mr. J. L. Dugdale) ......Peacock 3 8 2
CAUMSETT (Mr. M. Field) B. Rochfort 3 8 2
KILLOUGH CASTLE (Mr. A. R. Heath) ......Morris 3 8 2
KOSSOLIAN (Mr. W. Raphael) ......R. W. Colling 3 8 2
FRISSON (M. E. de St. Alary) Gilpin 3 8 2
TOURBILLION (Ld. H. de Walden) ......D. Waugh 3 8 2
HIGHLAND FLING (Mr. M. Albrecht) ......Osborne 3 8 2
SILVATE (Ld. Barnby) ......Peacock 3 8 2
RAMON (M. M. Boussac) ...S. Darling 3 8 2
AUSTIN (Mr. J. M. Clayton) J. Cannon 3 7 13
KINGCOB (Mr. D. Crossman) Pope 3 7 13
DILLY (Mr. F. Darling) ...M. Hartigan 3 7 13
SPEY ROYAL (Capt. A. S. Wilson) ......Storie 3 7 13

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
	PRINCE CHERRY	Carroll	100/8
02	ROYAL FALLOCH	Wandby	100/8
221	ESLA	H. Wragg	5/1
323	INCHCAPE BELL	G. Richards	6/1
602	LAST VERSE	Nevett	7/1
032	KOSSOLIAN	S. Wragg	3/1
022	TOURBILLION	R. James	5/1
1	RAMON	Elliott	2/1
202	AUSTIN	Perryman	8/1
301	KING COB	R. Jones	7/1

3.15—**LAMBTON STAKES** of 5 sovs. each, 2 ft., with 250 sovs. added. Two-year-olds. 5 f. st. lb.
TRES BONNE F. (Mr. H. Pulitzer) ......S. Darling 9 5
VERTE FEUILLE F. (Ld. Glanely) Hogg 9 5
ANN HATHAWAY (Lord Derby) ......Frank Butters 9 5
STATIRA C. (Ld. Barnby)......Peacock 9 3
SORTIE (Mr. J. J. Bell-Irving) R. Armstrong 9 0
BEMAX (Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen)...O. Bell 9 0
ROCK BOTTOM (Capt. J. Fielden)...O. Bell 9 0

GRAND DAY (Capt. R. B. Brassey) (5lb. ex.) ......Hartigan 3 9 7
EAST GALWAY (Mr. J. S. Shepherd) ......Arnott a 9 6
ELTON (Mr. J. T. Rogers)......Owner 3 9 6
ST. DROMACK (Capt. Dixon)......Behan 3 9 6
PEARLEEN (Mr. H. J. Tully)......Owner a 9 4
MERNAULT (Mr. John Ryan)......Keays 5 9 2
SCARLET STRIPES (Mr. R. Power).Ussher 6 9 0
MONLA (Sir T. Dixon)......Behan 3 8 11
MUSTARD CLUB (Mr. F. Burke) (5lb. ex.) ......Collins 3 8 9
WONDROUS (Capt. R. B. Brassey) ......Hartigan 3 8 6
HAZEL GROVE (Mr. Jos. Read)..Coombs 5 8 4
PALM LEAF (Mr. J. D. Wilkinson) ......Barret 5 8 4
MELLERAY'S PAGE (5lb. ex.) (Mr. G. Manning) ......Moss 5 7 1
THE GUIDON (Mr. J. T. Rogers)..Owner a 7 7
GLASBOROUGH (Sir T. R. A. Morris) ......Sheehan 4 7 7

4.50—**MALLOW SPA PLATE** of 50 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 2 m. Age st. lb.
SOUTHERN WITCH (Col. Sir G. Abercromby) ......Hartigan a 11 12
THE KIWI (Sir L. Goulding) ...G. Gilpin a 11 12
BUFFOON (Mrs. J. Lombard) ......Lombard a 11 12
CORNAFULLA (Mr. A. Lowry)......Dawson 6 11 12
BALLY YARN (Mr. M. Macabe) ......Arnott 6 11 12
GOLD LABEL (Mr. S. Master) ...Delmege a 11 12
ULTRA VIOLET (Mr. T. G. Fletcher) Scott 5 11 9
FANMOND (Mr. G. P. Gilpin) ......Owner 5 11 9
PHILALICE (Mr. D. Murray) ......Owner 4 10 12
ANOTHER WAVE (Mr. C. F. P. Creed) ......G. Gilpin 4 10 2

5.20—**DONERAILE PLATE** of 50 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 1½ m. Age st. lb.
SAINT SENAN (Mr. P. J. Corbett) ......H. Harty 4 10 2
WILD THISTLE (Mr. H. J. Tully) Owner a 10 2
CLOONADOON (Mr. J. S. Shepherd) Arnott 5 10 2
MISS TIERNANEAN (Mr. P. Keohane) ......Lombard 4 10 2
CRAFTY MAID (Mr. A. Lowry) Brabason 4 10 2
GRACE PARK (Mr. J. J. Foley) ..Owner 5 9 11
BATTLE CORNER (Sir E. Goff) ...Owner 5 9 11
FRIARSFIELD (Mr. G. A. Harris) Owner 5 9 11
PRECIOUS GEM (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) ......Owner 4 9 11
MOUNTAIN VIEW (Mr. J. Archdeacon) ......Lombard 6 9 11
MAHRATTA (Mr. G. Manning) ......Moss 6 9 11
FLYING IRISH (Mr. J. O'Callaghan) ......H. Harty 4 9 11
ACHATES (Mr. W. O. Ryan) ......Ussher 4 9 11
MYMERING (Mr. C. Schlesinger) O'Ferrall 3 9 7
JUNADA (Mr. J. S. Shepherd) ......Collins 3 9 7
ACOLYTE (Mr. C. R. Summers) O'Ferrall 3 9 7
KOSCIE'S STAR (Mr. H. C. McNally) ......Staunton 3 9 7
MUSTARD CLUB (Mr. F. Burke) Collins 3 9 7
ROCKABILL (Mr. J. P. Cuffe) ......Ussher 3 9 7
PRINCESS ARGOSY (Mr. J. A. Farrell) ......Arnott 3 9 2
TOR (Mr. H. I. Ussher) ......Owner 3 9 2
OLD BRAIN (Mrs. M. J. Harty) H. Harty 3 9 2
PRUDENT ROSS (Mr. E. J. Hone) ......Dawson 3 9 2
LISCARROLL CASTLE (Mr. B. W. Purdon) ......Arnott 4 7 11

ADDITIONAL ARRIVALS.—Ardsallagh, Cotula, Tetrabrook, Cloonadoon, Bally Yarn, St. Dromack, Knocknacarry, Scatterbrain, Mustard Club, St. Senan, Say, Melleray's Page, Scarlet Stripes, De Courcy, Rockabill.

ANGLING.

DERRY RIVERS.

The Roe was in excellent order last week, but towards the close some peat water came down and put the salmon off. There is a really good head of salmon in the Roe pools, and if they are well watched there should be a good back-end season, which is the best part of the Roe angling. Among the catches—Dr. Purce, Belfast, killed a grilse, 7lbs.; Mr. R. Robinson, Garvagh, one, 5½lbs.; Mr. Beattie, Limavady, one, 9lbs.; Mr. Irwin, one, 5lbs.; Mr. Holmes, one, 7lbs. The Roe is an easy river to fish; a good deal of the scrub that used to hamper bank angling has been cut away, and, as the nets go off on the last day of this month, there should be a still better stock. The Faughan was in order, and some sea trout and lots of small brown trout were killed. The tidal water of the Faughan are best for sea trout. The Moyola is in excellent order.

SELECTIONS FOR STOCKTON MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER	1.45 RACE.	2.15 RACE.	2.45 RACE.	3.15 RACE.	3.45 RACE.	4.15 RACE.	4.45 RACE.
Irish Times	Bright Steel.	Rafnam.	Ramon.	Verte Feuille f.	Knud.*	Ann Hathaway.	Bethlena.
Galtee More	—	—	—	Bearskin.	Polyanthus.	Ann Hathaway.	—
S. Life and Sportsman	Big Ben.	John's Son.	Ramon.	Verte Feuille f.	Royal Falcon.	Ann Hathaway.*	Battleshaft.
Man on the Spot	Plover.	Harpagon.	Kossolian.	Bemax.	Polyanthus, each way.	Ann Hathaway.*	Au Revoir.
Daily Express	Big Ben, next best.	Warning Cry; if ab., Harpagon.	Kossolian.*	Verte Feuille f., if ab., Bearskin.	Royal Falcon.	Ann Hathaway.	Battleshaft.
Daily Mirror	Bright Steel.	Warning Cry.	Ramon	Verte Feuille f.	Royal Falcon.	Ann Hathaway.	Au Revoir.
Daily Sketch	Bernita.	Sky Pilot.	Inchcape Bell.	Verte Feuille f.	Polyanthus.*	Ann Hathaway.	Bethlena.
Star	Big Ben.	Warning Cry.	Kossolian.	Verte Feuille f.	Polyanthus.	Ann Hathaway.	Au Revoir.
Evening News	Bright Steel.	Warning Cry.*	Kossolian.*	Verte Feuille f.	Toureen.	Ann Hathaway.	Au Revoir.
Evening Standard	Plover.	Blyth Warrior.	Tourbillion.	Ann Hathaway.	Royal Falcon	Cannes.	Battleshaft.
The Times	Bright Steel.	Blyth Warrior.	Ramon.	Verte Feuille f.	Elcho.	Ann Hathaway.	Au Revoir.

MARYLAND POINT (Mr. J. H. Keep) ......H. Smyth 9 0
LETHE (Mr. Anthony de Rothschild) ......J. Watson 9 0
HIT THE DECK (Mr. A. McAlpine) ......Barthropp 8 13
CORKS (Sir Thomas Putnam)......Peacock 8 13
BORIS (Mr. W. Raphael)......R. W. Colling 8 13
MIDDLE EAST (Lady James Douglas) ......Sneyd 8 10
SHRILL (Sir Walter Gilbey)......T. Cannon 8 10
CHARLEMAGNE (Mr. Sol Joel)......Earl 8 10
GRAND SUCCESS (Lady Ludlow)......Watts 8 10
LEONARD (D. of Portland)......Elsey 8 10
BEARSKIN (Mr. D. Landale Wilson) ......T. Waugh 8 10
ROSLINA C. (Sir Abe Bailey)......Cottrill 8 10
GILLTOWN (Mr. S. W. Beer) Leach, jun. 8 10
CASTLE DELL (Mr. W. R. Lysaght) ......B. Jarvis 8 10
GULF STREAM (Vicomte Foy) ...J. Cannon 8 7
THE COOK (Sir Victor Sassoon)...Crawford 8 7
ROSSMINT (Capt. A. Stanley Wilson) Storie 8 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
131	VERTE FEUILLE F.	G. Richards	4/5
114	STATIRA C.	H. Leach	7/1
112	BEMAX	H. Wragg	4/1
220	MARYLAND POINT	Packham	100/8
010	CORKS	J. Taylor	10/1
120	BORIS	J. Childs	8/1
01	SHRILL	Sirett	7/1
321	BEARSKIN	S. Donghue	6/1
040	GILLTOWN	Baines	100/8
00	THE COOK	Bowley	100/8

3.45—**STOCKTON HANDICAP PLATE** of 1,000 sovs. 1½ m. Age st. lb.
BARALONG (Mr. A. R. Cox) Lawson 4 9 0
NEVERMORE (Mr. J. Sharp)...Walters a 8 7
TIGER HILL (Col. M. Hughes) C. Leader 4 8 5
BURNSIDE (Sir W. Gilbey)...T. Cannon 5 8 3
PEACEMAKER II. (Mr. Sol Joel) Earl 5 8 2
PRIMROSE LEAGUE (Mr. J. G. Thompson) ......Peacock 5 8 0
TOUREEN (Mr. E. Martin-Smith) ......R. W. Colling 4 7 13
ROYAL FALCON (Mrs. G. H. Drummond) ......F. Darling 5 7 10
RESTIGOUCHE (Lord Beaverbrook) ......C. Leader 4 7 9
ELCHO (Sir W. Gilbey)......T. Cannon 4 7 7
CANDLEMAS (Ld. Derby) Fk. Butters 4 7 5
KNUD (Mr. W. H. Thorpe)......Pollock a 7 5
TAKA SAN (Lord Lascelles)...W. Jarvis 4 7 2
IRONCLAD (Lord Glanely)......Hogg 3 7 1
BALLYSCANLON (Mr. H. Martin) ......Edwards 4 7 0
PHYSICIAN (Sir A. Bailey)......R. Day 3 7 0
LUCKY (Lord Astor) ......Lawson 3 6 12
2 L.O. (Lady Chesham)......S. Darling 4 6 12
POLYANTHUS (Mr. J. L. Dugdale) ......Peacock 4 6 12

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
111	PRIMROSE LEAGUE	Nevett	5/1
001	TOUREEN	S. Wragg	9/2
001	ROYAL FALCON	S. Donoghue	4/1
000	RESTIGOUCHE	Southey	10/1
220	ELCHO	Sirett	8/1
041	KNUD	Weston	7/2
040	IRONCLAD	G. Richards	6/1
000	PHYSICIAN	Dines	100/8
004	LUCKY	Baines	8/1
121	POLYANTHUS	Richardson	6/1

4.15—**HARDWICKE PLATE** of 800 sovs. Two-year-olds. 5 f. st. lb.
BARBIZON (Lord Londonderry)......O. Bell 9 5
BRIGHT GLEN (Sir B. Sheffield)......Higgs 9 2
HARTFORTH COTTAGE (Mr. V. Thompson) ......J. Renwick 8 12
PURE GEM (Mr. A. B. Walker)......Persse 8 10
MELODY (Sir Abe Bailey)......R. Day 8 9
MOSCADO (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild) Pratt 8 8
ANN HATHAWAY (Ld. Derby) Fk. Butters 8 7
SONNELLI (Mr. D. L. Wilson) Leach, jun. 8 7
THEOLIN C., by Forerunner (Mr. M. D. Peacock) ......Peacock 8 7
CANNES (Mr. J. A. Dawson)......J. Dawson 8 5
BRIGHT FOLLY C., by Westward H. (Lord Glanely) ......Archer 8 4
DERBY DILLY (Lt.-Col. G. Loder)...Gilpin 8 4
ABBOTTS FLEET (Mr. W. J. Bellerby) ......Bellerby 8 4
VEILED LADY (Mr. G. H. Drummond) ......W. Nightingall 8 1
WARNING (Mr. G. Gunter)......Gunter 8 0
CAPOT (Mr. Lewis Schaverien)......Moreton 8 0
YU SHAN (Mrs. S. Whitburn)......Cottrill 8 0
WINSOME DOE (Mr. G. H. Gilbey)...Wilmot 7 11
BOLD LILY F., by Forerunner (Mr. T. D. Oakshott) ......Peacock 7 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
011	BRIGHT GLEN	G. Richards	3/1
001	PURE GEM	H. Beasley	5/1
211	ANN HATHAWAY	Weston	11/10
132	SONNELLI	H. Leach	6/1
31	THEOLIN C.	J. Taylor	10/1
01	CANNES	H. Wragg	8/1
00	BRIGHT FOLLY	Dines	100/8
243	WARNING	D. Morris	100/8

4.45—**COUNTY STAND HANDICAP** of 200 sovs. 6 f. Age st. lb.
CAPTURE HIM (Ld. Glanely)......Marsh 6 9 2
AU REVOIR (Baron F. de Tuyll) ......F. Hartigan 4 8 6
MONASTERY GARDEN (Mr. James A. de Rothschild) ......Pratt 4 8 2
BROTHER'S WATER (Ld. Lonsdale) ......R. Armstrong 4 7 10
ASSAM (Mr. L. Brook)......Green 6 7 10
BATTLESHAFT (Lady Curzon of Kedleston) ......Beatty 5 7 8
ATTENTIVE (Brig.-Gen. Charles Lambton) ......T. Cannon 5 7 5
KNIPHOFIA (Mr. D. A. McLaren) Rimell 3 7 2
GREAT WILLOW (Mr. M. Vasey) ......M. Vasey 5 7 2
BETHLENA (Mr. J. L. Dugdale) ......Peacock 4 7 0
GULISTAN (Capt. J. Harrison Broadley) ......Waldron a 7 0
LOVE AND MONEY (Sir Lycett Green) ......Hammett 4 7 0
HAPPY GAZELLE (Mr. T. H. Motler) ......Yapp 4 6 7
ROSE COTTAGE (Col. B. C. Fairfax) ......Binnie 3 6 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
422	AU REVOIR	H. Leach	3/1
230	BROTHER'S WATER	C. Brown	6/1
023	ASSAM	H. Wragg	7/2
002	BATTLESHAFT	Baines	2/1
030	BETHLENA	F. Brooks	5/1
001	GULISTAN	Richardson	7/1
000	ROSE COTTAGE	Magee	8/1

LATEST SCRATCHING—Middlesborough Welter Handicap—Midsummer.

WOLVERHAMPTON RETURNS.

DEAD-HEAT IN BUSHBURY PLATE.

1.45—**SHREWSBURY SELLING HANDICAP** of 150 sovs. 6 f.
Mr. W. Hutchinson's br. f. MANTO, by Noblesse Oblige—Mantua, 4, 7-6 ......L. Read 1
Mr. M. Dollar's PROBUS, 6, 8-9......G. Hulme 2
Mrs. D'Arcy Baker's LADY CAPULET, 6, 8-1 ......H. Graves 3
Also ran:—L'Habit Vert (H. Packham), Prince Rudolph (R. Dick), Pomander (J. Middleton), Rejaf (Fox), Arzila (J. Collins), Caros (J. Sirett), Delhi (T. Rimell). Off 1.50. (Winner trained by A. Law.)
Betting—5 to 2 agst. Rejaf, 5 to 1 each Lady Capulet and L'Habit Vert, 6 to 1 Caros, 7 to 1 each MANTO and Probus, 100 to 6 any other.
Won by three-parts of a length; half a length. L'Habit Vert was fourth and Arzila last.
The winner was bought in for 170 guineas.

2.15—**HIMLEY JUVENILE SELLING PLATE** of 150 sovs. Two years old. 5 f.
Mr. F. B. Barling's b. f. FONDNESS, by Somme Kiss—Rhodoclia, 8-11 ......H. Jelliss 1
Mr. J. E. Rowson's ARMAINE, 8-6...C. Richards 2
Mr. J. Coyne's BABY CYCLONE, 8-6...M. Beary 3
Also ran:—Susanna gelding (J. Brennan), Perula (H. Chaloner), Party Frock filly (P. Donoghue). Off 2.20. (Winner trained by Barling.)
Betting—11 to 10 agst. Armaine, 5 to 4 FONDNESS, 100 to 8 each Party Frock filly and Baby Cyclone, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by a neck; five lengths. Perula was fourth and Susanna gelding last.
The winner was sold to Mr. J. Legge for 200 guineas.

2.45—**BUSHBURY PLATE** of 200 sovs. Two years old. 5 f.
Mr. W. J. Waldron's br. f. RING O' ROSES, by Sir Rowland—Broken Toy, 8-9 H. Graves *
Mr. L. P. Smith's LALL COLT, by Bethlehem, 8-7 ......F. Fox *
H.H. Aga Khan's FALAKEH, 8-4......M. Beary 3
Also ran:—Hereford Poacher (T. Rimell), Syrtis (L. Brown), Great Vance (H. Chaloner), Queen Bee (F. Herbert), Titter (C. Richards). *Dead-heat. Stakes divided. Off 2.46. (Ring o' Roses trained by R. Jones; Lall colt by W. P. Lowe.)
Betting—6 to 4 on Falakeh, 11 to 2 agst. LALL COLT, 6 to 1 RING O' ROSES, 100 to 7 any other.
Dead-heat; three-parts of a length. Hereford Poacher was fourth and Great Vance last.

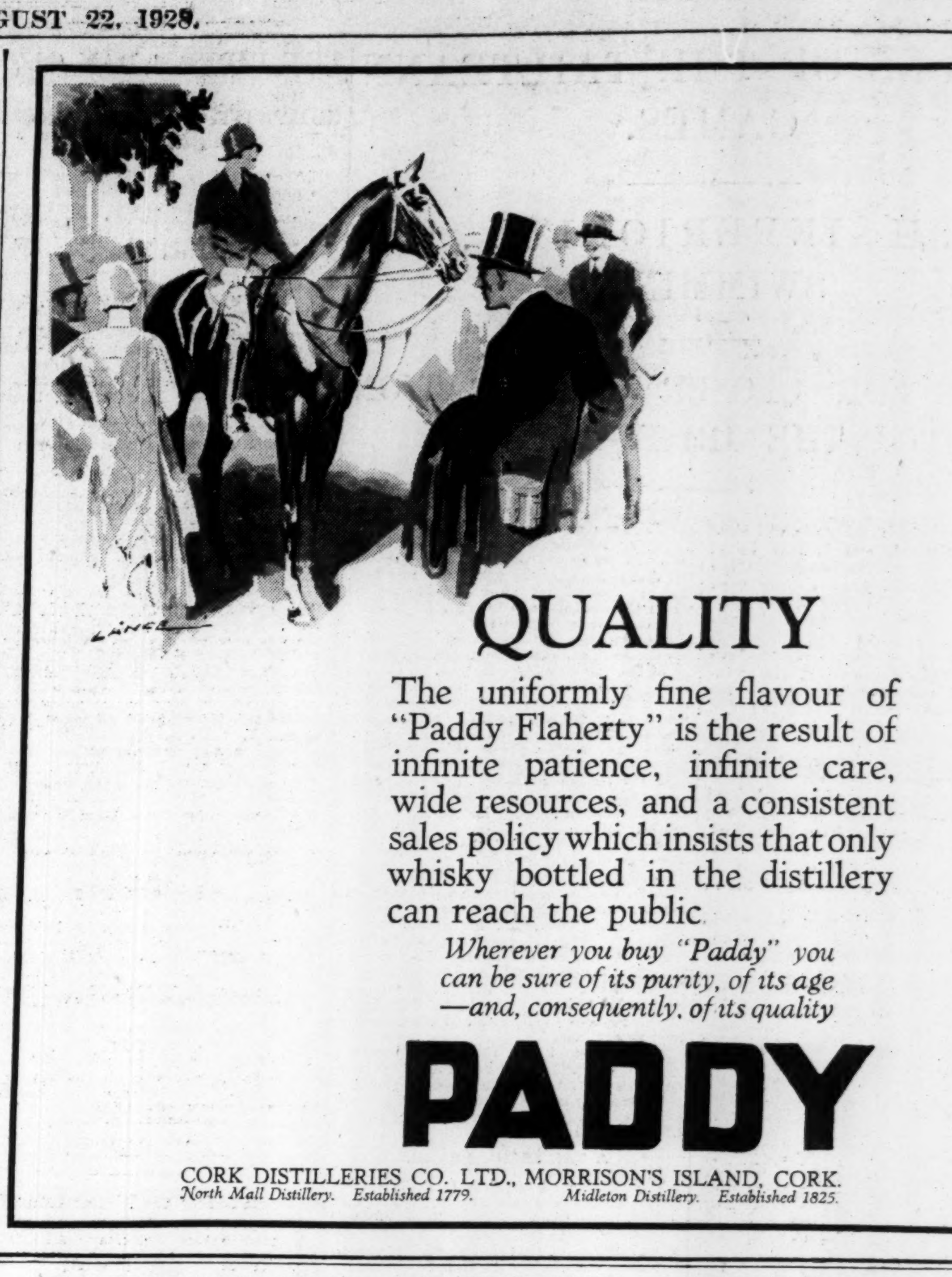
3.15—**RUCKLEY HANDICAP** of 300 sovs. 1 m. 3 f.
Mr. F. White's b. h. WAR MIST, by War Cloud—Brumelli, 5, 9-0 ......Fox 1
Sir D. Llewellyn's CRAIGNURE, 6, 7-4 J. Sirett 2
Mr. L. P. Smith's BLACON, 5 7-11 ......A. Burns 3
Also ran:—Nottingham Pet (F. Lane), Orissa (K. Robertson). Off 3.15. (Winner trained by C. Chapman.)
Betting—13 to 8 agst. WAR MIST, 11 to 4 Craignure, 7 to 2 Nottingham Pet, 5 to 1 Orissa, 10 to 1 Blacon.
Won by half a length; four lengths. Orissa was last.

3.45—**WALSALL HANDICAP** of 200 sovs. Three years old. 1 m.
Mr. O. W. Rayner's br. g. VERDANT GREEN, by Verdun—Lady Yew, 7-6 ......T. Barber 1
Mr. E. N. Lyons's BUCKS HUSSINE, 8-11 ......H. Jelliss 2
Mr. H. Simmonds's ON APPROVAL, 8-4 ......Fox 3
Also ran:—Rajkumar (F. Herbert), Son of Mars (C. Richards), Eagle Trailer (J. Sirett), Rock Forrard (A. Burns), Fire Escape (Flowers), Kalornis (H. Packham), Cedars (T. Rimell). Off 3.47. (Winner trained by East.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. Bucks Hussine, 9 to 2 Son of Mars, 5 to 1 each Kalornis and On Approval, 10 to 1 Cedars, 100 to 8 Rajkumar, 100 to 6 VERDANT GREEN or any other.
Won by a short head; three-parts of a length. Son of Mars was fourth and Fire Escape last.

4 15—**DUDLEY PLATE** of 200 sovs. Three years old. 1 m. 1 f.
Lord Carnarvon's gr. f. SILVER WEDDING, by Bachelor's Double—Silver Queen, 8-8 ......M. Beary 1
Mr. W. J. Waldron's GRANGE VIEW 8-11 ......H. Graves 2
Lord Lonsdale's DILIGENCIA, 8-4 ......F. Lane 3
Also ran:—Historical (C. Richards). Off 4.15. (Winner trained by R. C. Dawson.)
Betting—3 to 1 on SILVER WEDDING, 6 to 1 each agst. Diligencia and Grange View, 100 to 6 Historical.
Won by one length; same.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARK DIRT TRACK RACING.

With reference to the announcement that the first dirt track meeting would take place at Harold's Cross Park on the 25th inst., it has been found impossible to hold the opening meeting on the date mentioned. This sport is comparatively new to Dublin motor cyclists, and to acquire proficiency will take a longer period than was at first anticipated. Many prominent motor cyclists have already taken part in trials at Harold's Cross Park, but all are agreed that they have not reached the state of perfection necessary for a public meeting. In the circumstances, the promoters have been compelled to postpone the opening meeting to a date in September, which shall be announced later.



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BATH TO-DAY: *PROBABLE STARTERS AND BETTING.*

SELECTIONS.

Roundhill Selling Handicap—**St. Lucie.**
Brockham Selling Plate—**Toff.***
Foal Plate—**Boxing Glove.**
Summer Handicap—**Linkman** or **King's Oven.**
Sprint Handicap—**Andy.**
Apprentices' Plate—**Pommerino.**

2.0—**ROUND HILL SELLING HIGH-WEIGHT HANDICAP** of 150 sovs. 1 m.
LINKMAN (Mr. T. A. Edge) ...P. Lowe 6 9 4
DARRAGH (Mr. J. Pendarves) Pendarves a 8 12
BERKELEY (Mr. A. H. Hammond) ......Hy. Powney 6 8 11
THEOLOGY (Mr. J. R. Cramsie) Cramsie a 8 10
JEHU (Capt. E. Elgee) ......F. Hartigan 5 8 9
SILVER TOSS (Mr. F. T. Halse) Martin 5 8 9
SIMONIAN (Mr. T. H. O'Connor) Clancy 5 8 7
MARY'S SON (Mr. J. Powell) ...J. Scott 6 8 5
THE BLOWER (Mr. J. Powell) ...J. Scott 4 8 5
THE OCK (Mr. J. E. Cottrell) ...Gilbert a 8 2
OXIDIZE (Mrs. A. Sadler, jun.) A. Sadler 3 8 0
VIC'S CHOICE (Miss Sybil Hare) Hare a 7 13
RED ADMIRAL (Mr. E. Thornton-Smith) ......Templeman 4 7 13
TORRENT (Capt. A. F. Franklin) Hobbs 4 7 11
FONTAINVILLE (Mr. S. Moore) ...Gilbert 6 7 10
COMMON GOOD (Mr. E. Barnett) ......Barthropp 4 7 10
SNAKE BIRD (Mr. F. W. Wilmot) Kemp a 7 10
NIP IN THE BUD (Mrs. Mather-Jackson) ......Mullen 4 7 10
ST. LUCIE (Sir Charles Hyde) ...Scobie 3 7 9
DELHI (Mr. J. D. Robertson) ...Rimell 4 7 7
PERHAPS (Sir Hugh Nugent) ...Nugent a 7 5
ROYAL RETURN (Mr. F. Dennis) ......Templeman 3 7 5
BEST OF LUCK (Mr. Green) C. Piggott 3 7 4
NOUR JEHAN (Lt.-Col. R. B. Johnson) ......Johnson 3 7 4
SAMOVAR II. (Mr. Benson) E. Wilson 5 7 0
FRANCISCAN (Mr. E. Franklin) Cundell 3 7 0
PHILANTHROPY (Mr. S. Wootton) ......Wootton 3 7 0
BRIGHT LASS (Mr. H. Morris) O'Sullivan 3 7 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
033	JEHU	Gardner	5/1
024	SIMONIAN	P. Donoghue	7/1
102	MARY'S SON	R. Mason	6/1
422	THE BLOWER	Graves	3/1
002	RED ADMIRAL	L. Read	7/1
032	TORRENT	Lane	8/1
000	FONTAINVILLE	Brennan	100/8
00	COMMON GOOD	Bachelor	100/8
000	NIP IN THE BUD	Turtle	100/8
100	ST. LUCIE	F. Fox	4/1
400	PERHAPS	Hickey	100/8
000	ROYAL RETURN	A. Burns	10/1
000	BEST OF LUCK	Balch	10/1
300	NOUR JEHAN	S. Watson	8/1
210	PHILANTHROPY	Cordell	9/2

2.30—**BROCKHAM SELLING PLATE** of 150 sovs. Two-year-olds. 5 f. st. lb.
LAND PURCHASE C., by Grey Admiral (Mr. C. H. Bryans) ......Bryans 9 0
CLARE C., by Bachelor's Double (Mr. P. Hands) ......Thrale 9 0
HUSTLER (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild)...Pratt 9 0
CAVOLO (Mr. J. E. Rowson)......Hogg 9 0
GRAND AVENUE (Mr. T. A. Stevens)...Cobb 8 11
ICE BRIDGE (Mr. W. A. Bankier) Hastings 8 11
BRASIER (Mr. R. Brendon)......Holland 8 11
CLAUDETTE F., by St. Louis (Sir Delves Broughton) ......Farquharson 8 11
LOUD REPORT F., by St. Girons (Mr. L. E. Cribbins) ......Clancy 8 11
GUERRILLERO (Mr. M. Duggan)...O. Bell 8 11
TAUT (Mr. T. A. Edge)......Poole 8 11
JENNY SYMONS G., by Haki (Mr. G. F. X. Hartigan) ......M. Hartigan 8 11
TOFF (Mr. H. M. Hartigan)...H. Hartigan 8 11
GODDESS OF THE DAWN (Sir C. Hyde) ......Scobie 8 11
ROSE TIP (Sir Darcy Lindsay)......Morris 8 11
BIRD IN THE RUSH (Mr. G. Lowndes) Pope 8 11
IRISH WATER (Mrs. M.-Jackson) Mullen 8 11
V.C. (Mrs. Mather-Jackson)......Mullen 8 11
SEA OF STARS G., by Torelore (Sir H. Meux) ......Persse 8 11
ECHLASS F., by By George! (Mr. H. S. Persse) ......Persse 8 11
MERRY POACHER (Capt. J. B. Powell) ......Powell 8 11
VOYAGE F., by Friar Marcus (Mr. B. Runciman) ......Runciman 8 11
MISTRESS ALICE (Mrs. W. Stubbs) Clancy 8 11
SAFARI (Major H. Colmore)......W. Payne —

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
022	LAND PURCHASE	C. Marshall	4/1
000	CLARE C.	Dick	10/1
	HUSTLER	Bezant	100/7
000	GRAND AVENUE	Houghton	100/7
443	ICE BRIDGE	Brennan	10/1
430	BRASIER	Graves	8/1
004	LOUD REPORT F.	P. Donoghue	100/8
	GUERRILLERO	L. Brown	100/8
010	TAUT	Winter	4/1
02	JENNY SYMOND G.	McCormack	8/1
33	TOFF	Gardner	7/2
02	GODDESS OF THE DAWN	F. Fox	5/1
44	ROSE TIP	Herbert	7/1
1	IRISH WATER	Beary	7/4
340	ECHLASS F.	P. Beasley	100/8
00	MERRY POACHER	C. Richards	100/7
033	VOYAGE F.	T. Barber	10/1
022	SAFARI	Cordell	9/2

3.0—**BATH FOAL STAKES,** a sweepstakes, with 100 sovs. added. Two-year-olds. 5 f. st. lb.
SIRENE (Mrs. P. Gutmann) ......A. Sadler 8 11
UNCLE DICK (Mr. C. E. Howard) F. Darling 8 9
KNOCKDOLIAN (Mr. C. E. Howard) Higgs 8 9
FALDERNOCK (Ld. Woolavington) ......F. Darling 8 9
PREMIERE DANSEUSE (Mrs. D. Gardner) ......J. Dawson 8 6
PURE SCANDAL (Lt.-Col. C. W. Birkin) ......Leach, sen. 8 6
GRAND BIBI (Mr. L. Neumann) ...Gilpin 8 6
ALVERNA (Sir Berkeley Sheffield) ...Higgs 8 6
LADY RUSH (Ld. Woolavington) F. Darling 8 6
ELAN (The National Stud) ......Private 8 3
VAIN DREAM C. (Mr. A. Falcon) Wm. Griggs 8 2
ARMOUREUSE C. (Ld. Glanely) ......Archer 8 2
VALOUR (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ......Cottrill 8 2
GENERIS (Mrs. S. Savile) ......J. Beary 8 1
EAST GRINSTEAD (Ld. Dewar) ...Pickering 7 13
BOXING GLOVE (Capt. J. G. Homfray) ......Sherwood 7 13
LALL C. (Mr. L. P. Smith) ......P. Lowe 7 13
TWINKLE (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ......Owner 7 13
SOLANO (Sir Ernest Wills) ......De Winton 7 13
GREEDY GIRL F. (Mr. A. Falcon) ......Wm. Griggs 7 10
GAMESOME (Sir Charles Hyde) ......Scobie 7 10
SUNWEED F. (Mr. D. D. Milner) ......Reader 7 10
BECKA F. (Mr. W. M. G. Singer) ......Watts 7 10

Form	Probable Starters and Jockeys		Betting Forecast.
110	SIRENE	Winter	2/1
220	KNOCKDOLIAN	Herbert	6/1
00	PURE SCANDAL	J. Leach	10/1
204	EAST GRINSTEAD	Lane	4/1
04	BOXING GLOVE	Graves	5/4
04	GAMESOME	F. Fox	5/1

3.30—**BATH SUMMER HANDICAP** of 300 sovs. About 1½ m. and 200 yds. Age st. lb.
PAROLE (Mr. Anthony de Rothschild) ......T. Cannon 4 9 0
LIGHTS O' LONDON (Mr. E. Thornton-Smith) ......Templeman 6 8 8
ROYAL MILLER (Mr. H. G. Blagrave) ......Blagrave 5 8 6
TRAPEZE (Mr. G. W. Hands...)...Saxby 6 8 4
CROWNDALE (Lord Glanely)......Hogg 3 8 3
TROUBADOUR (Mr. C. Glorney) Sneyd 3 8 2
KING'S OVEN (Mr. D. M. Gant) P. Lowe 5 8 0
LINKMAN (Mr. T. A. Edge)...P. Lowe 6 7 12
GOLDEN EMBLEM (Lt.-Col. R. B. Johnson) ......Johnson 4 7 12
MARLHILL'S BEAU (Mrs. V. A. Ketley) ......E. Harper 3 7 7
FAIR WEATHER JACK (Mr. J. W. Harvie) ......Wilmot 4 7 4

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
20	LIGHTS O' LONDON	F. Fox	5/4
00	TRAPEZE	Herbert	7/1
044	CROWNDALE	C. Richards	9/2
003	TROUBADOUR	F. Field	6/1
203	GOLDEN EMBLEM	Pierce	8/1
330	MARLHILLS BEAU	A. Burns	3/1
044	FAIR WEATHER JACK	Balch	7/1

4.0—**SPRINT HANDICAP** of 100 sovs. 5 f. Age st. lb.
GREY HILL (Sir Charles Hyde) Scobie 4 9 0
BERNITA (Mr. F. Hartigan) ......F. Hartigan 4 8 0
GRACELLA (Lady Curzon of Kedleston) ......Beatty 3 7 12
PICTURE (Lord Astor) ......Lawson 3 7 9
ORBINA (Mr. F. H. W. Cundell)..Cundell 3 7 7
CLANG (Sir Charles Hyde)......Scobie 3 7 6
RATHTOI (Mrs. N. Hyde)......Rimell 3 7 6
BERKELEY (Mr. A. H. Hammond) ......Hy. Powney 5 7 5
BONGOLA (Mr. B. Runciman) Runciman 5 7 4
ANDY (Mr. H. G. Blagrave)...Blagrave 5 7 3
WESTERN SUN (Mr. F. W. Wilmot) ......Kemp 3 7 2
HELIOSCOPE (Mr. A. J. Day)...A. Day 3 7 1
SUBLIME FIRE (Mr. J. R. Porter) ......J. Porter 4 7 0
FAWN WAY (Mr. R. Richards) Bullock a 6 13
ZIG ZAG (Mr. J. W. Harvie)......Wilmot 3 6 10
SOLUTION (Mr. James A. de Rothschild) ......Pratt 3 6 10
GARRON TOWER II. (Mr. E. W. Merrell) ......Merrell 6 6 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
004	BERNITA	Gardner	5/1
021	PICTURE	Brennan	7/2
000	CLANG	F. Fox	6/1
002	BERKELEY	A. Burns	2/1
330	PIERCE	(——)	10/1
322	ANDY	L. Read	7/1
401	WESTERN SUN	T. Barber	6/1
000	HELIOSCOPE	Hughes	100/8
000	SUBLIME FIRE	Cordell	100/8
00	FAWN WAY	Rimell	10/1
000	ZIG ZAG	Balch	8/1
000	SOLUTION	Jefferies	100/8

4.30—**APPRENTICES' PLATE** of 100 sovs. 1½ m. 200 yds. Age st. lb.
THE BROWN TALISMAN (Sir H. Meux) ......Persse 4 8 8
JACOB (Mr. A. M. Woodford)......Saxby 4 7 10
WEST WICKLOW (Mr. D. O'M. Leahy) ......Hogg 4 7 10
KING'S OVEN (Mr. D. M. Gant) ......P. Lowe 5 7 6
FORTITUDE (Col A. C. Little)...Little 4 6 10
HACKAWAY (Mrs. Rupert Craven) ......Hastings 3 6 4
POMMERINO (Sir Hugo Hirst) ......Templeman 3 6 0
BETTY'S PRIDE (Mr. L. A. Cundell) ......Cundell 3 5 11
MORAL (Mr. C. E. Howard)......Morris 3 5 11
INCONSTANCY (Mrs. N. Hunt) A. Hunt 3 5 11
HAZY (Sir Charles Hyde)......Scobie 3 5 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
010	JACOB	Hughes	4/1
313	WEST WICKLOW	O'Neale	6/4
020	KING'S OVEN	Henny	10/1
000	HACKAWAY	S. Watson	8/1
023	POMMERINO	Jefferies	5/2
332	BETTY'S PRIDE	Whitehouse	7/1
000	INCONSTANCY	A. Hunt	10/1
004	HAZY	Sharpe	5/1

LATEST SCRATCHING—Bath Foal Stakes—Merton Abbey.

DEATH OF MR. A. H. LEDLIE.

WELL-KNOWN OWNER AND BREEDER.

The death took place at Queenstown yesterday of Mr. Alexander H. Ledlie, head of the well-known drapery firm of Robertson, Ledlie, Ferguson and Co., Ltd., at Cork, Belfast and Waterford. In his younger days he took a keen interest in racing, being the breeder and owner of several racehorses, which were trained for him by Mr. J. J. Parkinson at the Curragh. Notably amongst these was Americus Girl, who as a two-year-old won five out of the six races in which she ran in Ireland, and several important races in England, including the Portland Handicap at Doncaster in 1909. In this year Mr. "Sandy" Ledlie, as he was known to his friends, who then raced in Ireland under the name of "Mr. E. P. Gall," headed the list of winning owners in this country. Americus Girl was equally a success at the stud, and bred among others the speedy Lady Josephine.

CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

THE CURRAGH, Tuesday.

A showery morning.

BEHAN'S Monla, St. Dromack, Sable Cruet, Heremon, Loughbrown and others of the team had healthy exercise.

COOMBS'S Ask Her, Dorena, Yale Blue and Juva cantered.

DOYLE'S Minnetonka, Homeward, Orette and Lady Rossmore cantered three furlongs.

DAWSON'S Milennis, Ardsallagh, Bachelor's Squall and Cotula went five furlongs sharply.

FETHERSTONHAUGH'S Mullingarrick, Lazy Martin and Hautrage went five furlongs.

HARTIGAN'S Wondrous Grand Day and the two-year-olds cantered five furlongs.

PERRY'S Knocklong Boy cantered five furlongs.

STAUNTON'S Stratford Rock went six furlongs at half-speed.

SELECTIONS FOR MALLOW — WEDNESDAY.
Duhallow Plate—COTULA.
Buttevant Plate—BALLY YARN.
Cove Plate—DE COURCY.
Tailteann Gold Cup—ST. DROMACK.
Spa Plate—THE KIWI.
Doneraile Plate—ROCKABILL.

Additional departures for Mallow.—The following horses holding engagements to-morrow left the Curragh siding this afternoon by special horse train—Tetrabrook, Ardsallagh, Cotula, Scatterbrain, St. Dromack, Knocknacarry.

The following horses from the Brackenstown Stables, County Dublin, travelled by the same train—Scarlet Stripes, De Courcy, and Rockabill.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Ebor Handicap, York—Royal Pom, at 9 a.m. yesterday; Primrose League, at 10 p.m. yesterday.

HURST PARK MEETING.
Richemount Stakes — Hereward, Bonnement, Ranjit Singh.
Hammersmith Selling Plate—Black Cuff, Dilly.
Hurst Park engagements—Empire Day, Staff of Life.

YORK MEETING.
Clifton Welter Handicap—Elcot.
Wykeham Handicap—Persian Light.
Nunthorpe Sweepstakes—Knight of the Grail.

BATH MEETING.
Sprint Handicap—Quiet Stroll.
All-aged Selling Plate—Hollandia g.
Stand Selling Plate—Rosie.
Bath engagements—Staff of Life.

MISCELLANEOUS.
Tilgate Handicap, Gatwick—Dilly.
Preston Welter, Haydock Park—Rath Duth, Some Time.
Friday Selling Handicap, Haydock Park—Julius Caesar.
August Handicap, Gatwick—King's Parade.
All engagements in Mrs. Mather Jackson's name—V.C.
All engagements in Captain E. F. Angler's name—Creolian.
All engagements this year—Sister Easter, Golden Barge, Chastity, Ancestress, Prince Plunkett, Cobra.
All engagements—Springshoot, Freehand.

Bray Regatta
August 23rd, 24th, 25th and 26th, 3.30 p.m. each day
Fireworks, 25th & 26th
RAIL RETURN FARE FROM DUBLIN 1/-.

STOCKTON RETURNS.

BLUE BOY WINS STEWARDS' HANDICAP.

1.45—**TRIAL SELLING PLATE** of 200 sovs. 5f.
Sir D. Broughton's b. h. PHEIDON, by Argos—Soldier's Daughter, 5, 9-10......C. Elliott 1
Mr. A. B. Briscoe's DUNBOYNE, 4, 8-12 ......J. Leach 2
Mr. J. Tait's HANDYMAN, 4, 9-10 ......F. Bramhald 3
Also ran:—San Diago (J. Thwaites), Young Hopeful (S. Magee). Off 1.47. (Winner trained by Farquharson.)
Betting—6 to 4 on PHEIDON, 2 to 1 agst. San Diago, 8 to 1 Dunboyne, 100 to 7 any other.
Won by a neck; three lengths. San Diago was fourth, and Young Hopeful last.
The winner was bought in for 200 guineas.

2.15—**HAREWOOD SELLING PLATE** of 200 sovs. Two years old. 5 f.
Mr. W. T. Sears's ch. f. POLTERRE, by Poltava—Land Girl, 8-6 ......H. Leach 1
Mr. M. D. Peacock's SAWDUST, 8-1 F. Brooks 2
Mr. H. Mollekin's SILVER CASTOR, 9-0 ......A. Balding 3
Also ran:—Putsham (J. Taylor), Reason (C. Brown). Off 2.18. (Winner trained by Leach, jun.)
Betting—7 to 4 on POLTERRE, 4 to 1 agst. Silver Castor, 6 to 1 Sawdust, 10 to 1 Reason, 20 to 1 Putsham.
Won by a length; half a length. Reason was fourth, and Putsham last.
The winner was bought in for 400 guineas.

2.45—**WYNYARD PLATE** of 600 sovs. Two years-old. 5 f.
Lt.-Col. G. Loder's ch. f. GOLDEN SILENCE, by Swynford—Molly Desmond, 8-9 ......C. Smirke 1
Duke of Portland's LEONARD, 8-12...C. Childs 2
Capt. J. Homfray's MALLOCK, 8-12 R. Jones 3
Also ran:—Spanish (P. Beasley), Bold Stroke (J. Dines), Barbizon (H. Wragg), Spionella (J. Taylor), Ad Montem (C. Elliott), Royal Roue (A. Bowley), Filament (T. Weston), Sunnema (J. Winter), Lethe (R. Perryman). Off 2.48. (Winner trained by Gilpin.)
Betting—Evens GOLDEN SILENCE, 6 to 1 agst. Lethe, 7 to 1 Barbizon, 8 to 1 Filament, 10 to 1 each Mallock and Spionella, 100 to 8 Spanish, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by three-parts of a length; a neck. Spionella was fourth, and Royal Roue last.

3.15 — **STOCKTON STEWARDS' HANDICAP PLATE** of 700 sovs. 1 m.
Lord Woolavington's ch. c. BLUE BOY, by Lemonora—Blue Lady, 4, 8-9...G. Richards 1
Sir D. Broughton's KNIGHT OF THE GRAIL, 4, 9-0 ......C. Elliott 2
Mr. H. S. Gray's SEA CRAIG, 3, 8-3 ......H. Beasley 3
Also ran:—St. Mary Abbots (R. Jones), Jenico (A. Richardson), Janus (S. Wragg), King of Clubs (A. Magee). Off 3.17. (Winner trained by F. Darling.)
Betting—13 to 8 on BLUE BOY, 4 to 1 agst. Sea Craig, 8 to 1 St. Mary Abbots, 10 to 1 each Jenico, Janus, and Knight of the Grail; 50 to 1 King of Clubs.
Won by half a length; same. Jenico was fourth and Janus last.

3.45—**GREAT NORTHERN LEGER.** A plate of 1,000 sovs. Three years old. 1 m. 5 f.
Sir A. Bailey's b. c. LAW SUIT, by Son-in-Law—Swiney, 8 10 ......J. Dines 1
Mr. C. W. Gordon's BUOYANT BACHELOR, 8-13 ......C. Elliott 2
Mr. W. M. G. Singer's PLANTAGO, 9-10 ......G. Richards 3
Also ran:—Exeter (S. Donoghue), Siegfried (J. Childs), Roman Roue (A. Bowley), Royal Outing (J. Nolan). Off 3.50 (Winner trained by R. Day.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Plantago, 5 to 2 Exeter, 5 to 1 each Buoyant Bachelor and Siegfried, 10 to 1 each LAW SUIT and Roman Roue, 50 to 1 Royal Outing.
Won by two lengths; same. Royal Outing was fourth and Roman Roue last.

4.15—**HARRY FOWLER WELTER HANDICAP PLATE** of 200 sovs. 1 m.
Mr. F. Straker's ch. g. KIRKHEATON, by Bachelor's Double—Barbed Wire, 4, 9-2 ......G. Richards 1
Lord Durham's DOLMAN, 5, 8-2......T. Weston 2
Mr. E. M. Sykes's MARZIPAN, 4, 8-0 R. Crisp 3
Also ran:—Bernadotte (H. Wragg), Forest Dance (H. Stone), Styrrup (H. Leach), Aberdovey (W. Nevett), Set Fast (R. James), Footer (S. Donoghue), Star of Africa (J. Nolan), Sky Pilot (J. Dines), Pharisee (S. Wragg), Kim (A. Richardson), Monomark (E. Fox). Off 4.17. (Winner trained by T. Cannon.)
Betting—9 to 4 agst. Dolman, 5 to 2 KIRKHEATON, 8 to 1 each Footer and Forest Dance, 10 to 1 Bernadotte, 100 to 8 Styrrup, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by two lengths; a neck. Forest Dance was fourth and Star of Africa last.

4.45—**BISHOPSGARTH HANDICAP** of 200 sovs. Three-year-olds. 6 f.
Mrs. D. Gardner's b. c. CULZEAN, by Tetrameter—Fair Nun, 7-6 ......G. Richards 1
Mr. R. Day's GLIDE, 7-9......J. Dines 2
Mr. W. Wyllie's LITTLE GRAFTON, 7-4 ......W. Stephenson 3
Also ran:—Ars Divina (W. Perryman), Kniphofia (H. Wragg), Bilbrough (E. Fox), Royal Flutter (G. Baines), Orpall (F. Brooks). Off 4.46 (Winner trained by F. Armstrong.)
Betting—3 to 1 each agst. CULZEAN and Kniphofia, 7 to 2 Little Grafton, 4 to 1 Glide, 6 to 1 Ars Divina, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by a length; a head. Ars Divina was fourth and Kniphofia last.

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ALL IRELAND CLUB.

To-morrow's Match—At Phœnix Park—Slane v. Conyngham, 4.30. Practice follows.
Slane—Brian Daly, Captain J. A. Hornsby, M. Arnott, J. W. Shackleton.
Conyngham—D. Malone, R. H. Usher, J. P. A. Larminie, Major Kirkwood.
Umpire—Mr. W. Magee.

GREYHOUND RACING.

THE GRAND NATIONAL AT HAROLD'S CROSS PARK.

The final of the Irish Greyhound Grand National was the chief event on the card at Harold's Cross Park last night. The race was, to a large extent, spoiled by savaging on the part of the favourite, Prince of Burren, and after Jollycourt and Laurel Boy had, in turn, looked like winning, Cavalier came a fine bat after negotiating the last obstacle to beat Jollycourt on the line by a short head. The winner, who was supported at 6 to 1, jumped faultlessly, and managed to escape interference from Prince of Burren, who was subsequently warned off from running on the track for the remainder of the season.

There was a thrilling finish for the Ulster Plate, four of the competitors crossing the line in a bunch. The result was a dead-heat between Baby's Fancy, the favourite, and Jibery The Kilkenny dog, Butts Boy, with short odds laid on, never left the issue in doubt in the Midland Hurdle. Recreation also landed the odds in the Connaught Plate, but a rank outsider in Gortmoline won the Munster Plate. Details:—

IRISH GREYHOUND GRAND NATIONAL.—Winner, £100 and Cup; second, £35. Final—Miss E. F. Stewart's r. f. d. CAVALIER (Chevalier—Let 'Er Know) (3) (6 to 1), 1; Mrs. E. O'Neill's JOLLYCOURT (1) (7 to 4), 2. Also ran:—Dr. Pearson's Prince of Burren (2) (5 to 4), Mr. P. O'Brien's Laurel Boy (4) (100 to 14). A short head.—33.60 secs.

ULSTER PLATE (Bitches).—Winner, £10; second, £3—Mr. M. Cremin's bd. BABY'S FANCY (Llewellyn's Fancy—Latest Style (5), 6 to 4, *; Mr. M. Mullally's JIBBERY (Guards' Brigade—Marta) (4), 8 to 1, *. Also ran—Mr. T. Quane's Seemly (6), 10 to 1; Mr. J. J. Ryan's Loran Park (1), 4 to 1; Mr. T. Cormack's Steeple View Fly (3), 4 to 1; Mr. J. Dwyer's One Speed (2), 3 to 1. * A dead-heat. 31.94 secs.

LEINSTER PLATE—Winner, £10; second, £3.—Mr. P. McCarthy's w. bk. d. DASHING SPEED (Cheerful Speed—White Fire) (1), evens, 1; Mr. M. Garrett's O'HENRY'S PRIDE (5), 4 to 1, 2. Also ran—Mr. J. J. Breen's Bad Post (3), 6 to 1; Mr. E. Fenton's Cork Light (4), 6 to 1; Mr. R. J. Donnelly's Whispering Mick (2), 10 to 1. Six lengths. 31.20 secs.

MUNSTER PLATE—Winner, £8; second, £2.—Mr. T. Breen's bd. w. d. GORTMOLINE (Christmas Number—Moxtonville) (6), 10 to 1, 1; Mr. G. Yeates' Have Another (4), 3 to 1, 2. Also ran—Mrs. J. Flynn's Billy the Crack (5), 5 to 1; Mr. J. Campbell's Camp Bed (3), 5 to 1; Mr. M. A. Verrecchia's Muinebeag Boy (2), 8 to 1; Mr. O'Sullivan's Paid O'Neidin (1), 6 to 4. Three lengths. 32.10 secs.

MIDLAND HURDLE—Winner, £8; second, £2.—Mr. M. J. Mulhall's bd. d. BUTT'S BOY (Tubber-a-Naska—Brian's Gem) (2), 6 to 4 on, 1; Mr. J. Madden's ACTION (4), 100 to 14, 2. Also ran—Messrs. H. and A. Morgan's Spanish Wine (3), 5 to 1; Messrs. Ford and McGeough's Act of Confidence (1), 5 to 1. Four lengths. 34.40 secs.

CONNAUGHT PLATE—Winner, £8; second, £2. Mr. P. Rooney's bd. b. RECREATION (Honeyman—Rambling Rose) (1), 5 to 4 on, 1; Mr. J. Murray's CHEER'S PET (4), 10 to 1, 2. Also ran—Mr. P. J. Headon's Jazz Step (2), 10 to 1; Mr. P. J. Treacy's Miss Delage (5), 5 to 1; Mr. J. Dunphy's Templeboden (3), 6 to 1; Miss M. Tydd's Minnesota (6), 4 to 1. Six lengths. 31.67 secs.

SHELBOURNE PARK.

TO-NIGHT'S PROGRAMME.

8.15—**CLONMEL STAKE.**—Mr. J. Bruton's PHOSPHORIC, Mr. J. Barlow's BEST TRIUMPH, Mr. J. Byrne's BANNER GREEN, Mr. D. Neary's MOORFIELD, Mr. T. McHughes's GUIDE HIM MORE, Mr. C. Gibson's MARTINSTOWN. Substitutes:—Mr. D. Kennedy's KIND YET, Mr. T. Brennan's DON'T QUESTION.

8.40—**SHELBOURNE HURDLE.**—Mr. P. Tuite's BEADED SHAMROCK, Mr. P. Flynn's FIVE SPEED, Mr. F. Dillon's PUNCHINELLO, Mr. T. Hayes's OH SAMMY. Substitutes:—Mr. T. Harrington's ADDERGOWN LASS, Mr. M. Lawlor's GIRL FROM CARRICK.

9.0—**CLOUNANNA BITCH STAKE.**—Mr. J. Bruton's BROWN SPOT, Miss M. Plunket's PERDITA, Mr. P. Purcell's PHIBISHER, Mr. J. Kennedy's SHADOW, Mr. Lawlor's LOUGH BROOM, Mrs. W. J. Quinn's TIPPERARY ROSE. Substitutes:—Mr. T. Marley's MAGIC WITCH, Mr. J. Mooney's MIDNIGHT FIVER.

9.20—**KILSHEELAN STAKE.**—Mr. P. Kelly's LUCY WHITE, Miss A. J. Kelly's SCOTS PENNY, Mr. J. Stevenson's STEAM CUTTER, Mr. M. Lawlor's LAVINIA, Mr. N. Gogan's SPEEDY LOVE, Mr. E. Burgess's WAGTAIL. Substitutes:—Miss J. Bird's CARN'S FANCY, Mr. W. K. Stamp's SWIFT LADY.

9.40—**CELTIC HURDLE.**—Mr. W. Brett's BUSY BEAUTY, Miss E. Woodburne's BARNEY DEAR, Mr. J. Laffan's LOFTY KING, Mr. T. Comerford's COLD MORN. Substitutes:—Mr. T. Fegan's HETTY LOFTUS, Mr. T. Travers' TRY TRY AGAIN.

10.0—**DUBLIN STAKE.**—Mr. J. O'Shea's BARCENAS, Miss A. Tuite's RHODE LASS, Mr. Edward Igoe's ACTUM EST, Mr. J. P. Brennan's MIRTHFUL MEMORIES, Mr. J. McDaid's MAID OF BOGSIDE, Mr. T. Darcy's THE DOLE. Substitutes:—Mr. P. King's MILENSIA, Mr. W. Mahon's MARCETT.

CORK.

PROGRAMME FOR TO-NIGHT.

FERMOY STAKE (Bitches). 525 yards. Winner £7, second £3—Mr. E. Enright's BOLD FRONT, Miss Condon's MINUETTE, Mr. W. O'Sullivan's SUNBEAM MAID, Mr. J. Coughlan's SUMMER SOCKS, Mr. D. O'Dwyer's BREDA'S PET, Mrs. N. Kelly's ELECTIONEER. Substitutes—Mr. R. Sheehan's NUTMEG, Mr. A. Brown's NETTA.

COVE HURDLE. 525 yards. Winner £8, second £2—Mr. W. Dunne's DIXIE FRANK, Mr. J. Nunan's RANGER'S PRIDE, Mr. J. O'Reilly's HILLSIDE OFFICER, Mr. D. Noonan's THIRD LIGHT. Substitute—Mr. J. O'Callaghan's SHADY WAY.

SOUTHERN STAKE. 550 yards. Winner £10, second £2—Mr. T. Gorman's QUICK STEP, Mr. P. McGrath's LACKABAWN BOY, Mr. P. J. Smith's AUTOMATON, Mrs. McEllistrim's MERRY MAURA, Mr. D. Deasy's McNAMARA'S BAND, Mr. B. Keily's JIM'S PET. Substitute—Mr. J. J. Ahern's SIDE LIGHT.

BALLINCOLLIG STAKE. 550 yards. Winner £8, second £2—Mr. T. Gorman's RED MANTLE, Mr. P. J. O'Sullivan's FANSTOWN LASS, Mr. P. Collins's ROUND COOLEHANE, Dr. Byrne's TISTOON, Mr. M. Brennock's MELLERAY BELLE, Mr. J. Kennedy's COMET'S GLORY. Substitutes—Mr. J. Cantillon's TOSS THE COIN, Mr. T. Carroll's FINLAND.

MALLOW HURDLE. 525 yards. Winner £7, second £2—Mr. H. J. Ryan's SCOTCH MIST, Mr. J. S. Smith's SPRING AGAIN, Mr. J. McEllistrum's MOLL'S CAPTURE, Mr. M. Canty's MARDYKE NEWS. Substitutes—Mr. T. Carroll's GLOUNE SCHAHEEN, Mr. J. O'Leary's CRYSTAL RECEIVER.

LEE STAKE. Winner £7, second £2—Mr. J. Kelleher's DICK HARDING, Mr. E. Partell's POLLEEN, Mr. J. O'Toole's JUNE RATE, Mr. R. Collins's ROCKBORO' CASTLE, Mr. B. Keily's DUNGARVAN GIRL, Mr. P. J. Hallahan's KILDANGAN LASS. Substitutes—Mr. M. O'Connor's HARRY'S JOY, Mr. F. Tehan's TRY IT OUT.

DUNMORE PARK, BELFAST.

DUNMORE STAKES—Mr. J. Eastwood's RIGHT ENOUGH (5 to 4), 1; Mr. Robinson's RATHMORE (4 to 1), 2. Also ran:—Clubland Boy, The Grocer, Asthore Machree and Shaun's Leap. Half a length; 37 3-5 secs.

BRANTWOOD HURDLE.—Mr. W. Gilmore's KILEMORE BILL (6 to 4), 1; Mr. J. McKelvey's BEECHILL LAD (6 to 4), 2. Also ran:—Lido Lady and Easky Boy. Two lengths; 41 1-5 secs.

CRUSADER STAKES—Mrs. O. Martin's MUCKROM (5 to 2 on), 1; Miss R. Mussen's SPRINGHILL DUD (6 to 1), 2. Also ran:—Rosevale, Ballyadry Lass, Red Rose and The Tip. Five lengths; 25 1-5 secs.

HANDICAP STAKES—Mr. R. Smyth's SMALL YORK (5 to 2 on), 1; Mr. T. McGarrigle's ROOSKIE PROWLER (3 to 1), 2. Also ran:—Mahall, South Belfast, Colonel Wynn and Worthington Beer. Ten lengths; 37 2-5 secs.

FORTWILLIAM STAKES — Mr. D. McKee's BOBBY'S GIFT, 1; Mr. P. Collins's BALLYFORDE LADY, 2. Also ran:—Ashbelle, Crinkle Lad, Fair Film and Keep Twisting. A neck; 25 4-5 secs. No betting.

LISNALINCHY STAKES — Mr. J. Simpson's GLANCING BUN, 1; Mr. T. Timmons's TOO TRICKY, 2. Also ran:—Romany Ruby, Jimbo, Ulster Speed and Maude Bristo. Two lengths; 38 secs. No betting.

BRAY REGATTA.

The programme for Bray Regatta is—First Day, Thursday, 23rd August—Yachting, rowing, swimming. Second Day, Friday, 24th August—Yachting, rowing, swimming. Third Day, Saturday, 25th August—Garda Siochana Band and gymnastic display (afternoon). Fireworks. Fourth Day, Sunday, 26th August—Garda Siochana Band and gymnastic display (afternoon) and fireworks.

Competitors in ladies' 100 yards and 880 yards swimming open open handicaps should travel by 4.45 train from Westland row to-morrow (Thursday), 23rd instant, and competitors in men's diving, 100 yards and 440 yards open handicaps by 5.15 train from Westland row on Friday. No post entries will be accepted.

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CRICKET.

SUSSEX V. WEST INDIES.

At Brighton. Sussex won by an innings and 86 runs. Score:—

WEST INDIES.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
G. Chaloner l.b.w b Bowley	44	c Grimston b Wensley	7
C. A. Roach b Wensley	22	c Cornford b Browne	2
F. R. Martin c and b J. Parks	0	not out	26
W. St. Hill st Cornford b Wensley	7	c H. Parks b Browne	0
R. K. Nunes b Wensley	0	l.b.w b Bowley	1
E. L. Bartlett b J. Parks	6	c Grimston b Wensley	7
L. N. Constantine b J. Parks	6	l.b.w b Wensley	20
C. V. Wight b J. Parks	40	c Hollingdale b Wensley	0
C. R. Browne c Grimston b J. Parks	1	b Wensley	5
G. Francis c Hollingdale b Wensley	26	st Cornford b Bowley	1
H. C. Griffith not out	34	c Hollingdale b Wensley	8
Extras	2	Extras	12
Total	188	Total	89

BOWLING.

First Innings—Wensley, 4 for 60; Browne, 0 for 9; A. E. Gilligan, 0 for 17; J. Parks, 5 for 44; Bowley, 1 for 23; Wagener, 0 for 33.

Second Innings—Browne, 2 for 16; Wensley, 6 for 44; Parks, 0 for 5; Bowley, 2 for 12.

SUSSEX—First Innings.

Bowley c Wight b Martin	62	Wensley b Griffith	22
J. Parks b Constantine	25	J. G. Wagener not out	80
H. Parks b Constantine	5	A. E. R. Gilligan b Browne	12
K. A. Sellar b Constantine	1	Cornford c Browne b Martin	53
Hollingdale l.b.w b Browne	28	F. B. R. Browne c sub. b Browne	0
G. S. Grimston l.b.w b Browne	52	Extras	24
		Total	364

BOWLING.

First Innings—Francis, 0 for 21; Griffith, 1 for 68; Constantine, 3 for 103; Browne, 4 for 81; Martin, 2 for 52; Roach, 0 for 15.

LEICESTERSHIRE V. LANCASHIRE

At Leicester. Match drawn. Score:—

LANCASHIRE—First Innings.

Watson c Coleman b Astill	80	Iddon c Sidwell b Smith	113
Hallows b Astill	19	Hopwood not out	2
Makepeace l.b.w. b Astill	7	Extras	25
E. Tyldesley c Shipman b Astill	242	Total (5 wkts.)	*488

*Innings declared.

BOWLING.

First Innings—Shipman, 0 for 36; Smith, 1 for 143; Astill, 4 for 169; Coleman, 0 for 57; Bale, 0 for 45; Armstrong, 0 for 13.

LEICESTERSHIRE—First Innings.

Dawson b Macdonald	8	Coleman b R. Tyldesley	54
Shipman l.b.w. b R. Tyldesley	21	Riley not out	10
Armstrong c Hallows b Macdonald	0	Smith st Duckworth b R. Tyldesley	18
Berry c E. Tyldesley b Macdonald	11	Bale c and b R. Tyldesley	2
Bradshaw c Barnes b Macdonald	3	Extras	11
Astill l.b.w. b Iddon	68	Total	215
Sidwell c Hopwood b R. Tyldesley	9		

SECOND INNINGS—E. W. Dawson b Iddon, 22; Shipman not out, 33; Bradshaw l.b.w. b R. Tyldesley, 2; Armstrong not out, 3; extra, 1. Total (2 wkts.), 61.

BOWLING.

First Innings—Macdonald, 4 for 66; Sibbles, 0 for 33; Hopwood, 0 for 39; Tyldesley, 5 for 55; Iddon, 1 for 11.

Second Innings—Macdonald, 0 for 37; Sibbles, 0 for 9; Iddon, 1 for 8; R. Tyldesley, 1 for 6.

DERBYSHIRE V. NOTTS.

At Ilkeston. Match drawn. Score:—

DERBYSHIRE—First Innings.

Bowden c Whysall b S. Staples	50	Hutchinson b Barratt	2
Storer c Carr b Larwood	9	C. K. Hill-Wood not out	28
Lee c Whysall b Barratt	10	Townsend c Lilley b Barratt	23
G. R. Jackson c S. Staples b Barratt	45	A. W. Richardson b Larwood	3
Slater st Lilley b S. Staples	4	Elliott b Larwood	0
Worthington c S. Staples b Barratt	2	Extras	7
		Total	183

SECOND INNINGS—Bowden b Larwood, 1; Slater c Lilley b Larwood, 4; Lee c Voce b Barratt, 6; G. R. Jackson not out, 34; Hutchinson c Larwood b Barratt, 26; Worthington not out, 0; extras, 3. Total (4 wkts.), 74.

BOWLING.

First Innings—Larwood, 3 for 40; Barratt, 5 for 62; Voce, 0 for 15; S. Staples, 2 for 50; A. Staples, 0 for 9.

Second Innings—Larwood, 2 for 36; Barratt, 2 for 34; S. Staples, 0 for 1.

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE—First Innings.

Gunn b Worthington	7	Barratt c Elliott b Hill-Wood	22
Walker c Elliott b Lee	52	Larwood c Worthington b Hill-Wood	27
Whysall b Townsend	157	S. Staples c Townsend b Slater	42
A. Staples b Hill-Wood	11	Voce not out	5
A. W. Carr c Elliott b Worthington	18	Extras	17
Payton b Hill-Wood	1		
Lilley c Slater b Townsend	16	Total	375

BOWLING.

First Innings—Hill-Wood, 4 for 132; Worthington, 2 for 68; Townsend, 2 for 86; Lee, 1 for 39; Slater, 1 for 23.

SOMERSET V. ESSEX.

At Knowle. Essex won by 7 wickets. Score:—

SOMERSET.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
R. C. Robertson-Glasgow c and b O'Connor	72	c Gilligan b Joy	11
Young c and b Hipkin	80	c Gilligan b Joy	0
R. A. Ingle l.b.w. b Palmer	5	not out	50
Hunt c Gilligan b Nichols	28	b Nichols	4
Marshall b Nichols	20	c Joy b Nichols	1
C. C. Case b Joy	0	b O'Connor	4
H. D. Burrough not out	37	l.b.w. b O'Connor	0
G. M. Bennett l.b.w. b Joy	0	b Palmer	2
W. T. Greswell b Joy	6	c Nichols b O'Connor	3
Luckes b Nichols	1	c Palmer b O'Connor	2
J. C. White l.b.w. b Palmer	27	l.b.w. b O'Connor	3
Extras	22	Extras	7
Total	298	Total	87

BOWLING.

First Innings—Nichols, 3 for 60; Joy, 3 for 41; Palmer, 2 for 58; O'Connor, 1 for 69; Hipkin, 1 for 30; Franklin, 0 for 18.

Second Innings—Nichols, 2 for 28; Joy, 2 for 13; Palmer, 1 for 24; O'Connor, 5 for 15.

ESSEX—First Innings.

L. G. Crawley run out	12	F. W. Gilligan l.b.w. b White	4
Cutmore b Greswell	13	Hipkin c Luckes b White	0
O'Connor l.b.w. b Hunt	0	R. C. Joy b White	2
Russell run out	91	H. J. Palmer c Greswell b White	8
Nichols l.b.w. b Bennett	25	Extras	12
H. W. F. Franklin c Hunt b Greswell	104		
J. W. H. T. Douglas not out	10	Total	281

SECOND INNINGS—L. G. Crawley c Bennett b White, 47; Cutmore c and b White, 23; O'Connor hit wkt. b White, 3; Russell not out, 24; Nichols not out, 8; extra, 1. Total (3 wkts.), 106.

BOWLING.

First Innings—R. Glasgow, 0 for 53; Greswell, 2 for 44; Hunt, 1 for 39; White, 4 for 90; Bennett, 1 for 33; Young, 0 for 10.

Second Innings—Greswell, 0 for 28; Hunt, 0 for 3; White, 3 for 42; R. Glasgow, 0 for 32.

GLAMORGAN V. NORTHAMPTONSHIRE.

At Swansea. Northamptonshire won by 74 runs. Score:—

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
W. Timms b Ryan	3	l.b.w b Bates	47
Woolley b Mercer	10	b E. Davies	32
Bellamy b Ryan	20	l.b.w b E. Davies	7
J. E. Timms c E. Davies b Ryan	49	l.b.w b Ryan	48
V. W. C. Jupp b Mercer	30	c and b Ryan	22
W. C. Brown c Hills b Mercer	6	l.b.w b Ryan	15
Bakewell c Arnott b Ryan	4	b Mercer	10
E. F. Towell not out	14	c and b Ryan	3
Matthews l.b.w b Mercer	3	c and b Ryan	4
Thomas c Howard b Ryan	1	c E. Davies b Ryan	0
Clark b Ryan	2	not out	2
Extras	24	Extras	10
Total	166	Total	200

BOWLING.

First Innings—Mercer, 4 for 45; Arnott, 0 for 2; Ryan, 6 for 71; E. Davies, 0 for 24.

Second Innings—Mercer, 1 for 33; Arnott, 0 for 10; Ryan, 6 for 59; Bates, 1 for 41; E. Davies, 2 for 47.

GLAMORGAN.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Bates l.b.w b Jupp	13	not out	73
Bell b Thomas	37	c Matthews b Towell	20
T. Arnott b Jupp	28	b Jupp	1
Howard c Clark b Jupp	11	c Bakewell b Jupp	0
M. J. Turnbull c Bellamy b Jupp	12	c Bellamy b Thomas	6
D. Davies c Bakewell b Jupp	16	c Thomas b Jupp	23
Hills b Thomas	0	c Matthews b Clark	15
W. G. Morgan b Towell	4	c and b Jupp	6
Mercer b Jupp	3	c W. Timms b Jupp	1
E. Davies b Jupp	1	b Clark	2
Ryan not out	1	b Jupp	4
Extras	6	Extras	9
Total	132	Total	160

BOWLING.

First Innings—Thomas, 2 for 44; Clark, 0 for 12; Jupp, 7 for 68; Towell, 1 for 2.

Second Innings—Clark, 2 for 19; Thomas, 1 for 39; Jupp, 6 for 84; Towell, 1 for 9.

YORKSHIRE V. KENT.

Rain had fallen almost continuously for many hours at Leeds and the wicket was so saturated that abandonment of the match between Yorks and Kent was arrived at as early as 11.30 yesterday morning. There had been no play on Monday, but as Saturday's cricket extended over six hours, each side takes four points.

WARWICKSHIRE V. HAMPSHIRE.

Rain, which set in heavily at Edgbaston yesterday, showed no signs of cessation, and soon after one o'clock the match was abandoned as a draw. Warwicks taking five points for first innings' lead. It was the first blank day at Edgbaston this season.

SURREY V. MIDDLESEX.

At the Oval. Match drawn. Score:—

SURREY—First Innings.

Hobbs l.b.w b Robins	36	H. M. Garland-Wells c Price b Durston	2
Sandham c Hendren b Haig	14	Peach c Hendren b Haig	2
Ducat l.b.w b Robins	16	R. S. Machin not out	1
Shepherd c Price b Durston	37	Gover c Price b Durston	0
Barling l.b.w b Haig	12	Extras	16
Gregory c Price b Haig	0	Total	136
P. G. H. Fender c Hendren b Durston	0		

SECOND INNINGS—Sandham, c Hendren b Haig, 0; Hobbs b Haig, 28; Ducat b Hart, 82; Shepherd c Price b Durston, 30; Barling l.b.w. b Robins, 93; Gregory not out, 75; P. G. H. Fender c Price b Robins, 29; Garland-Wells not out, 65. Extras, 31. Total (6 wkts.)—433.

BOWLING.

First Innings—Durston, 4 for 31; Haig, 4 for 44; Hunt, 0 for 9; Robins, 2 for 30; Enthoven, 0 for 6.

Second Innings—Durston, 1 for 47; Haig, 2 for 61; Enthoven, 0 for 48; Robins, 2 for 118; Hunt, 0 for 74; Hart, 1 for 54.

MIDDLESEX—First Innings.

N. Haig b Gover	8	F. T. Mann c Sandham b Garland-Wells	12
Lee c Barling b Fender	43	R. N. Hunt c Machin b Garland-Wells	8
E. T. Killick c Shepherd b Peach	170	Hart not out	14
Hendren b Peach	104	Durston c Shepherd b Garland-Wells	0
H. J. Enthoven c Machin b Gover	13	Extras	15
R. W. V. Robins c Ducat b Shepherd	41	Total (9 wkts.)	*428

* Innings declared.

HOSPITALS' MATCH.

SIR PATRICK DUN'S v. ROYAL CITY OF DUBLIN.

Played in the College Park, and, in an exciting fight against time, resulted in a win for Dun's by 8 wickets. Dun's were kept in the field for the greater part of the day, Baggot Street scoring 191 before declaring, with 7 wickets down. For this P. A. Thornton was chiefly responsible with a brilliant 146. Sir P. Dun's were left with the almost impossible task of scoring the runs in less than an hour and a half. Going whole-heartedly for the runs, however, they batted to such purpose that the winning run was scored on the stroke of time, A. D. Barbour, the Trinity batsman, making a faultless century. Score:—

ROYAL CITY OF DUBLIN.

P. A. Thornton b A. H. Thompson	146	M. Kirwan c Barbour b S. G. O'Neill	0
G. H. Henry b Barbour	0	A. Hill b Fleming	0
F. J. Henry b Barbour	0	— Rose not out	22
C. Ryan b Barbour	0	— Rakoff not out	3
N. Lindsay c Keyms b Knott	3	Extras	17
		Total (7 wkts.)	*191

* Innings declared.

SIR PATRICK DUN'S.

A. D. Barbour c Rose b Thornton	116	A. H. Thompson b Thornton	8
A. G. Thompson retired	39	Dr. H. E. Knott not out	16
J. E. R. Keyms hit wkt. b Rose	8	Extras	17
		Total (3 wkts.)	204

Did not bat—S. G. O'Neill, P. L. O'Neill, Dr. Griffith, C. M. Taylor, H. T. Fleming, A. T. Kennedy.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Cork County v. Phœnix (First Day). Cork.

North Kildare v. Clontarf "A". Kilcock.

PEMBROKE Second XI. require away fixture for Saturday, 1st September.—M. H. Maher, Avonlea, Oaklands Park, S.E. 5.

LAWN TENNIS.

GREYSTONES TOURNAMENT.

The Greystones tournament was continued in good weather yesterday. All the first round matches in the men's singles were play off, and both G. P. Hughes and F. K. Patterson had very easy victories. C. J. Lett, the Enniscorthy footballer, gave T. Purefoy a good fight in the first set of their match, but did not win a game in the second set.

There was a marathon match in the first round of the women's singles between Mrs. Rounds and Miss J. Stoker, which lasted nearly two hours, before the former proved victorious. Details:—

MEN'S OPEN SINGLES.

First Round—J. B. Ganly beat G. C. Dockeray, 6-1, 6-1; H. J. O'Reilly beat T. C. Williams, 6-3, 7-5; E. A. Porter beat A. Belford, 6-3, 6-1; J. E. Furney beat P. Campbell, 6-4, 6-3; T. Purefoy beat C. J. Lett, 6-4, 6-0; G. P. Hughes beat R. H. Healy, 6-1, 6-0; F. R. Patterson beat A. H. Porter, 6-0, 6-0.

WOMEN'S OPEN SINGLES.

First Round—Miss Furney beat Miss N. Porter, 6-1, 6-0; Mrs. Rounds beat Miss J. Stoker, 8-6, 1-6, 7-5; Mrs. Tweed beat Miss M. Maude, 6-2 6-2.

Second Round—Mrs. F. C. Martin beat Miss H. Wilson, 6-1, 6-1.

OPEN MIXED DOUBLES.

First Round—G. P. Hughes and Miss Pearson beat E. H. Porter and Miss M. Maude, 6-1, 6-2.

Second Round—T. Purefoy and Miss N. Stoker beat G. C. Dockeray and Miss H. Cresswell, 6-4, 6-2; G. Ball Greene and Mrs. Cashel beat A. Belford and Mrs. Rounds, 6-2, 6-1.

WOMEN'S HANDICAP SINGLES.

First Round—Miss H. Martin (minus 5) beat Miss J. Stoker (minus 3), 9-7, 6-1; Mrs. Nichols (minus 2) beat Miss M. Harrington (minus 4), 6-4, 6-4; Miss N. Oulton (minus 2) beat Miss M. Elvery (scr.), 6-4, 6-3.

Second Round—Mrs. Rounds (minus 15.3) beat Miss A. Rowan (scr.), 6-1, 6-2; Miss V. Mahony (minus 2) beat Miss M. Gahan (scr.), 4-6, 6-0, 6-1; Miss Furney (minus 15) beat Miss M. Stoker (5), 4-6, 6-0, 6-0; Miss E. Rowan (2) beat Miss M. Maude (15), 6-1, 6-1; Miss Courtenay (15.1) beat Miss M. Tierney (4), 6-4, 6-2; Miss H. Cresswell (minus 2) beat Miss V. Hannin (3), 6-2, 6-2.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

10.30—Miss Switzer v. Miss Owen.

11.30—Ball Greene and Miss Owen v. Reidcliff and Miss Courtenay; Mrs. Rounds and Mrs. Bianconi v. Misses Rowan; Mrs. Vance v. Miss Crabbe (B); Miss A. Cresswell and Miss Hyde v. Mrs. H. and Miss B. O'Reilly; Mrs. Cashel and Miss Pearson v. the Misses Martin.

12.30—Mrs. Cashel v. Miss Gray (A); Belford and Nichols v. Porter and Porter; Miss N. Stoker v. Mrs. Nichols; H. O'Reilly v. E. H. Porter.

1.30—Miss H. Martin v. Miss B. O'Reilly; Miss H. Creswell v. Miss Furney; Healy and Miss Gray v. Lett and Miss Boyers; Miss N. Oulton v. winner of B.

2.30—Mrs. Martin v. winner of A; Miss L. Wigram v. Miss H. Martin; Miss Wilson v. Miss Kennedy; Mrs. Nichols v. Mrs. Tweed; Hannin and Miss V. Hannin v. Belford and Miss Gray.

3.30—Belford and Miss Gray v. B. Hannin and Miss Hannin.

4.30—Hughes v. J. B. Ganly.

5.30—J. B. Ganly and Miss I. Stoker v. A. H. and Miss N. Porter.

All competitors not otherwise excused will please be on the ground at 3.30 p.m.

FINGAL HARRIERS' FETE.

The members of the Fingal Harriers' Hunt Club held a very successful and enjoyable *fête* yesterday on the grounds of the Malahide Tennis Club at Malahide, County Dublin. The function, which was presided over by the Master and Mrs. Craigie, was patronised by a very full attendance of members of the Hunt, as well as numerous members of neighbouring Hunts; while quite a goodly number came from Dublin and the Fingal hunting district.

The afternoon's entertainment included a well-patronised Mixed Doubles Tennis tournament, in which over sixty couples took part. The winners of the tournament were Commander Gaisford St. Lawrence and Miss G. O'Brien, who, after a hard struggle, defeated Mr. F. Dreaper and Miss Courtenay.

In a Golf Putting Competition, which also attracted a large number of entrants, Mrs. Hone succeeded in carrying off the ladies' prize, while Mr. Wilson secured first place in the Men's Class.

The function, which proved very successful from every point of view, concluded with a very enjoyable dance in the Carnegie Library, Malahide.

UNITED TOWNS' LEAGUE.

The following is the United Towns' League Table to date:—

SECTION A.

Club.	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Ardee	6	5	0	1	11
Skerries	6	3	2	1	7
Balbriggan	6	3	3	0	6
Malahide (Castle)	6	0	6	0	0
Rush (Visitors)	0	0	0	0	0
Drogheda	0	0	0	0	0

SECTION B.

Club.	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Navan	6	5	0	1	11
Athboy	6	2	1	3	7
Bettystown	6	2	2	2	6
Trim	5	0	4	1	1
Kells	0	0	0	0	0

MAYFIELD.—Annual "at home" on Saturday next at Mount Tallant avenue at 3 o'clock.

THE FIRST JUNIOR LAWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS OF IRELAND.

27th AUGUST TO 1st SEPTEMBER.

Championship Cups for Boys and Girls under 19. Ditto under 15.

Handicap Events (Singles, Doubles and Mixed), for all under 19 on 1st August, 1928.

Full particulars and entry forms from THE HON. SECRETARY, Fitzwilliam Tennis Club, Dublin.—(Advt.)

JUVENILE TOURNAMENT.

An American Tournament for juveniles under the age of 16 on the 1st September will be held on the grounds of the Co. Wicklow Lawn Tennis Club, Bray, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 3rd, 4th and 5th September. For particulars and entry forms, apply to D. W. S. Colquhoun, Galtrim road, Bray, Hon. Secretary.—(Advt.).

COUNTY CAVAN LAWN TENNIS CLUB, CAVAN.

The Annual Open Tournament will take place from Monday, 3rd September, to Saturday, 8th September.

For further particulars and entry forms, apply to Cecil B. Carbery, Tournament Hon. Sec., Bank of Ireland, Cavan.—(Advt.).

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Apply to the Hon. Secretary, Co. Wicklow L.T.C., 13 Galtrim road, Bray.—(Advt.).

WORLD SWIMMING MARATHON.

TORONTO, August 21.

Over 400 competitors, including 66 women, have entered for the third World Marathon Swim in connection with the Canadian National Exhibition, which will take place at the end of this month, for prize money totalling £10,000. Forty nations will be represented in the race.

HALF MOON.—100 Yards Handicap. Result—B. Banks (15 secs.), 1st; E. Heron (10 secs.), 2nd; L. Gaffeney (scr.), 3rd.

BRAY.—Boys' and Girls' 33 Yards Handicap—D. Elliott (6), 1; Miss McQuillan (12), 2; H. Lyons (6), 3. Time—38 secs. Nine competed. Men's 100 Yards Handicap—K. Vaughan (23), 1; M. Vaughan (14), 2; R. Frame (14), 3. Time—77 secs. Eight competed. Ladies' 100 Yards Handicap—Miss O. Dacus (8), 1; Miss S. O'Neill (1), 2; Miss M. Murphy (4), 3. Time—94 secs. Seven competed. To-morrow and Friday—Swimming and diving events at Bray Regatta.

GOLF.

THE BOYS' CHAMPIONSHIP.

DUBLIN BOYS SURVIVE THE FIRST ROUND.

The first round of the Boys' Championship at Formby yesterday brought out one of the American challengers, the New Zealand entrant, and F. B. Vagliano, who is connected with the well-known French golfing family. Of these only Hamilton Wright, the American, survived; but he will have to improve on his display to hold a chance against the many powerful youths engaged. The American was extremely nervous at the outset, and his opponent—A. C. Darnborough, a Londoner—was one up at the fifth. From this point Wright played some fine iron shots, and gained a big advantage. He became three up at the ninth, and settled the match by holing a putt of twenty yards across the hummocked thirteenth green. Peter Pharazyn was opposed by the youngest of the competitors. Pharazyn was at Eton until last year, and learned his golf at Sunningdale. P. W. Risdon, his little rival, is only just over thirteen, but is very strongly built. He was full of confidence, and, after being down all the way, squared at the last hole, and then won the nineteenth. The second round will be decided to-day.

Ronald Dwyer, Castleknock College and Hermitage, got through the first round by beating A. Glennie (Watson's College)—2 and 1. Another Dublin competitor, J. McLoughlin (Clontarf), brother of Miss McLoughlin, the Tailteann International, gained a good win by 2 holes over N. Jackson (Birmingham), but C. McMullan (Belfast) was beaten by one up, and R. Craig (Castlerock) lost by 3 and 2.

PROFESSIONAL GOLF IN THE NORTH.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

There were eighteen competitors in the North of Ireland Professional Golf Championship which opened at Malone, Belfast, yesterday, when the conditions were 36 holes strokes.

The four golfers who contest the honour to-day by order of placing are: C. W. Pope (Fortwilliam), S. Fairweather (Malone), J. Hamill (Bangor), and A. W. Butchart (unattached).

Pope, a notable competitor in former years, took first place, beating Fairweather, who has now been holder of the championship for three years, by one stroke. The former returned two cards of 71, while the latter had a 72 and a 71.

As a result of the heavy rains of the previous days the greens were "dead slow," and players had some difficulty with muddy balls, especially when playing second shots.

To-day the conditions will be match play, and the draw is Pope v. Fairweather and Butchart v. Hamill.

WALKER CUP TEAM IN U.S.A.

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

The Western Amateur Championship, in which members of the British Walker Cup team are competing, was continued here to-day. Dawson (Chicago) headed the field in the qualifying round, scoring a total of 141.

Don Moe scored 144, three strokes behind Dawson. Evans scored a total of 149; his partner, Hezlett, took 80, which with yesterday's 77 gave him 157. Storey scored 154, Torrence 155, Dolf, who led yesterday, took 80 for 151, and Tweddell, his partner, 152. MacCallum took 157, and Hope 159.

T. P. Perkins, British amateur champion, tied for third place in the Western amateur championship with 145.

BRITISH PLAYERS AND U.S.A. CHAMPIONSHIP.

The following British players will compete in the American Amateur Championship at Brae Burn, West Newton, Mass, on September 10th, etc.:—T. P. Perkins (Castle Bromwich), British champion; Dr. Tweddell (Stourbridge), W. L. Hope (St. George's Hill), J. B. Beck (Sundridge Park), E. F. Storey (West Hill), T. A. Torrance (Sandy Lodge), R. H. Hardman (Birkdale), and Major C. O. Hezlet (Royal Portrush).

DUTCH CHAMPIONSHIP WON BY E. WHITCOMBE.

Ernest Whitcombe, yesterday, won the Dutch Championship with 141 for 36 holes. His brother, Charles, was second with 146. Arthur Havers and T. Cotton tied for third place with 148.

MALAHIDE.—The August medal was won by J. J. McKellar, 3 up. Saturday next—Bogey Cup. Post entries.

SKERRIES.—Monthly Medal—M. Smithwick, 1 up; S. N. Stafford, 1 up; H. Stafford, 1 down; W. J. Towell, 1 down. Saturday next—Open four-ball foursome.

BALLYBUNION. — Mixed foursome — Mr. M. Walsh (Tralee) and Miss Elearney (England), 3 down. Ladies' stroke competition—1st, Mrs. C. Allen (21), 71; 2nd, Mrs. J. Binchy (21), 75.

DUNDALK.—Saturday next—Open mixed foursomes. Usual draws.

WOODBROOK.—Saturday next—Semi-open four-ball v. bogey.

DELGANY.—Saturday next — Captain's prize. Presented by Dr. W. A. Cussen.

WICKLOW.—To-day — Wicklow challenge cup, open competition v. bogey. Ladies' Branch—Ballycurry cup—Winner, Miss E. Varian; runner-up, Miss C. Keogh.

BUNDORAN.—Stroke Competition—J. McGrath (16), 73; J. A. Dickson (10), 75; M. Daly (11), 75. Ladies' Cup, presented by the Great Northern Railway Company. Result:—Mrs. Dickson (28), 76; Miss Cunningham (16), 82; Miss F. Cassidy (29), 84; Miss P. Anderson (24), 84.

MILLTOWN (Ladies' Branch).—August Medal, Class I.—Mrs. Walsh (rec. 8), 1 up; Miss Brophy (rec. 14), 1 up. Class II.—Mrs. Pike (rec. 17), 4 down; Miss S. Crinion (rec. 21), 4 down; Miss A. Ward (rec. 26), 4 down; Miss M. Macken (rec. 27), 4 down.

WOODBROOK.—F. Fitzgerald holed out in one at the 17th.

GREYSTONES.—Mixed Foursomes (20 entries)—Mrs. O'Toole and G. S. Magill (17 strokes), 2 up; Mrs. Cashel and Captain Faris (3 strokes), 1 up; Miss Deverell and A. C. Newett (12 strokes), 1 up. 25th—Grand Hotel Cup, 18 holes, strokes. Open to members, temporary members, and visitors introduced under Rule 23. Best gross. The cup to be won three times in succession before becoming the property of the winner.

YACHTING.

THE OCEAN RACE.

A WIN FOR NINA.

The Amaryllis, which was sailed around the world by Lieutenant Mulhouser, and was given by his sister to the Royal Naval College, Dartmouth, arrived at Plymouth yesterday morning at 7 hrs. 14 mins. 5 secs. in connection with the ocean race. After a brief stay in the port the Amaryllis, which was sailed by Captain Nasmith, rehoisted her canvas and proceeded home to Dartmouth.

Viking (Lieutenant R. Lindsay Fisher, R.N.) gave up the race, and proceeded to Falmouth.

The Magnet (R. W. Frothingham-Roach) passed the Lizard at 12.30 yesterday on her way home to Plymouth.

The annual dinner in connection with the Ocean Racing Club was held last night, and the winning trophy was presented to Mr. Sherman Hoy, the skipper of the American schooner, Nina, in the absence of Mr. Paul Hammond in America. The second prize was won by Jolie Brise, once owned by Mr. E. L. Martin, Commodore of the Ocean Racing Club, but now belonging to Mr. W. L. Ferrier. Dr. Brownlow Smith said that Jolie Brise never had a chance against the specially designed Nina, which, he added, had done wonderfully well.

Jolie Brise, commencing the beat to the Fastnet, worked the tides down the English coast, and was becalmed in Mount's Bay. Four or five hours after rounding the Longships she carried a wind which enabled her to attain a speed of ten knots. Jolie Brise stood along Irish shore until the wind became freer. When thirty miles west of Longships the wind was north-westerly, and of such strength that the cutter had to take in two reefs.

Neptune also had to be reefed. On the last section of the course she overhauled Jolie Brise on the way to Plymouth from Longships.

All the yachts that competed in the race are accounted for except Mamago.

ATHLETICS IN GERMANY.

DOUBLE FOR MISS HATT.

LENNEP, PRUSSIA, August 21.

English women athletes distinguished themselves at the women's athletic meeting held here to-day. Miss Hatt won the 80 metres hurdles in 12 3-5 secs., thus clipping one-fifth of a second off the world's record, and then the high jump with a leap of 1.45 metres.

In the 200 metres flat Miss Ridgeley finished first in 26 secs., and Miss Haines was second, one second behind. Fraulein Bredow (Germany) was third in 27 2-5 secs.

The German Olympic runner, Fraulein Wewers, won the 800 metres in the slow time of 2 mins. 55 secs. The only other competitor in this event was Miss Barber (England).

MOTOR BOAT RACING.

ROUGH WATER AT BOURNEMOUTH.

At Bournemouth Regatta yesterday, Mr. Claude Graham White's Hotsy Totsy was the only boat to face the starter in the Challenge Cup Race. Her best speed in three trials was 33 knots. Major H. Seagrave's Miss Alacrity was an absentee.

The only other event provided an exciting finish, Mr. Downs Martin's Safety Last defeating Mr. R. Tarrant's Gazelle by three seconds. No other races were decided on account of rough sea.

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PRODUCE AND FOOD MARKETS.

CATTLE PRICES GOOD AT CAMBRIDGE AND EASIER AT SALFORD—BUTTER FIRM IN DUBLIN AND ADVANCING AT CORK—POTATOES SLOW AND UNSETTLED—GROUSE CHEAPER—FRUIT POOR TRADE—RUBBER WEAKER—TIN STILL FALLING—GRAIN CARGOES LOWER—IRISH BACON STRONG AT MANCHESTER.

CATTLE.

SALFORD.—On offer: Beasts 1,252 (increase 87), sheep and lambs 9,120 (decrease 845), dairy cows 87 (decrease 12). Irish fat stock penned totalled 698, or 37 less, and 80 dairy cows, 19 less. Increase in aggregate numbers was due to larger show of Cheshire and Welsh cattle. Irish sheep and lambs 808 (decrease 555). Quality and finish of fat cattle fairly satisfactory, out trade slow at slightly easier prices. Lambs in steady demand, but sheep trade only moderate. Best English beasts quoted 10d., best Irish 9½d., secondray grades 8½d. to 9d., good fat young cows up to 8d.; small North country sheep 1/1, stronger sorts 11d. to 1/-; best Welsh lambs 1/2½, others around 1/2, Irish lambs around 1/1, ewes 8d. per lb. Cows suitable for dairy purposes in slightly better demand at £18 to £26 per head.

CAMBRIDGE.—A good supply of fat cattle and business slightly easier. Very few store cattle to hand. Fat sheep and lambs again made an excellent show, and rates steady. Fat pigs not so many offered, and prices slightly better. Store pigs a fair trade. Beef 11/6 to 12/6, mutton 8/4 to 9/-, lamb 1/2 to 1/4, pork to 12/-.

LEEDS.—On offer: 465 beasts, 7d. to 10¼d.; slow trade. Sheep 1,875, at 1/- to 1/3, ewes 7d. to 9d. Fairly good trade. Lambs 1/2 to 1/3.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN GRAIN.—Oats may be nominally quoted—Blacks 16/- to 17/6 and 18/-, whites, 18/6 to 19/6 and 20/- per barrel, extreme figures appertaining to retail sales or, perhaps, extra good full bulking parcels.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC.—WHEAT—In the floating and forward cargo section prices continue to decline on pressing offers from North America, most descriptions being obtainable at 3d. to 6d. per quarter less money, and buyers indifferent. White Pacific August-September, also October-November, quoted 44/6, No. 2 Northern Manitoba October-November Pacific 45/-, No. 3 ditto 42/3, No. 3 ditto Atlantic August-September 42/-, No. 2 hard winter Pacific August-September 42/-, Gulf 42/3, Rosafe 62lbs. afloat 42/6, 63lbs. September 43/6, Australian August 44/9. Parcels easier, but steady at the decline. No. 1 Northern Manitoba October-November sold 45/-, No. 3 ditto August 41/1½ net, ditto September 41/3 net per 480lbs. MAIZE cargoes steady, but inactive. Plate steamers afloat sellers 36/6 to 37/-, loading 36/9, August-September, also October, 36/3, No. 2 white flat African 36/-. Parcels fully steady. Plate July-August sold 34/6 to 34/9, August-September 34/9, September-October 34/7½ to 35/- per 480lbs. BARLEY quiet of sale. Parcels of No. 3 Canadian Western October-November sellers 30/3, No. 4 ditto 29/6, No. 2 Federal American September-October 29/3, Karachi August-September 35/6, Dan. Bess. Kus. 5 p.c. August 32/6, Algerian-Tunisian 4 p.c. loading 29/-, Persian September 31/6 per 400lbs. OATS quietly steady. Plate new crop f.a.q. January-February sellers 23/9, No. 3 white clipped American 34lbs. September 21/6 per 320lbs.

PROVISIONS.

MANCHESTER.—BUTTER—Scandinavian generally steady, and Irish creameries are also held for full late rates. Spot supplies of Colonial by no means heavy and prices still nominal. Choicest qualities quoted—Danish 192/- to 194/-, special dairies extra; Swedish 185/- to 187/-, Finnish 185/- to 187/-, Irish creameries 180/- to 182/-. BACON—Shipments of Danish and Swedish 16,158 bales (increase 542 bales). Market generally rules firm on short supplies; Irish clears readily at 108/- to 114/-, North of Ireland rolls 110/- to 114/- according to weight and cure, Danish 112/- to 117/-, Swedish 105/- to 110/-, Dutch 101/- to 106/-. LARD—English refined steady, 71/-, boxes, wholesale; American dearer, 66/- to 66/6 according to brand. CHEESE—Both home-produced and Colonial shows upward tendency, but buyers holding off at the higher prices ruling. Choicest Cheshire 1/1, finest Lancashire around 1/1 per lb.; New Zealand white 115/- to 116/-, coloured 114/- to 115/-. Canadian 111/- to 113/-. EGGS—Market quiet; Irish extra selected 18/6, selected 17/6, mediums 15/-, duck nominal; Portadowns 18/-, 14lbs. 16/-; Danish and Swedish, 18lbs. 18/-, 17lbs. 17/6; 15½lbs. 17/-, 13lbs. 14/-; Dutch, all browns 17/6, selected 16/6; Polish, reds 10/6, blues 11/6; Russians 11/- to 12/- per 120.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—Of imported goods, plums, grapes, tomatoes are very plentiful. Trade poor for general run of fruit. Victoria plums 15/- to 19/- per half bushel; English tomatoes 4/- to 5/6 per 12lbs., Dutch 3/- to 3/6 do. Apples, oranges, etc., much as previously quoted; Irish plums 4/- to 5/9 per float, Louvains 6/6 to 7/6, Orleans 4/6 to 5/6, melons 3/- to 3/6 each, nectarines 3/- to 4/- per dozen, peaches 2/6 to 4/6 and 6/- per dozen; raspberries 5d. to 1/1 per lb.; loganberries 8d., red currants 5d., apples 3/6 to 4/9 per tray, cookers 6/- to 8/- per half bushel, Beauty of Bath 2/6 to 3/- per tray; barrels of apples 11/- to 16/-, and extra 20/-, kegs 12/6, 14/- and 15/-. In vegetables, vegetable marrows sold well at 5/- to 8/- per dozen, but slow otherwise. York cabbage finished badly at 12/- to 24/-, and extra early 30/- to 35/- per load; mushrooms 1/- per punnet, cucumbers 4/- to 6/- dozen; tomatoes 5d. to 8d., seconds 3½d. per lb.; Swede turnips 2/- to 2/4 per cwt.; peas 1/- per basket, 4/- to 5/- per bag, 7/6 to 12/6 per sack; broad beans 9d. to 1/- per float; kidney beans 4d. per lb.; rhubarb 1/6 to 3/- and 4/- per dozen bundles; parsnips 1/9 to 2/- do.; carrots 10d. to 1/3 and 1/6 do.; cauliflowers 3/- to 3/6, 5/- and 5/9 per dozen selected; beet 1/3 to 2/- per dozen; white turnips any price, 1d. to 3d. or 4d. per large bundle, a drug; parsley 3d. to 6d. per tray; lettuce 3d. to 8d. per dozen; Tripoli onions 7d. to 9d. per bundle; scallions 6d. to 9d., thyme 4d to 8d.

DUBLIN POTATO.—County Dublin and country offerings of potatoes continue very heavy, and experience a slow sale at rather unsettled prices. Choice table quality tubers can now be readily purchased around 5/-, but many sellers are quoting 3d. to 6d. per cwt. more; ordinary and coarse £4 to £4 15/- per ton.

DUBLIN POULTRY AND GAME.—Grouse more plentiful and a fair sale at cheaper rates—viz., 2/6 to 3/- each for young birds and 1/6 to 2/- old. Any wild fowl arriving are yet out of condition and unquotable. Poultry in good seasonable supply and trade fully equal to a ready, regular sell up of market. Prime chickens 1/- to 1/2 per lb., seconds 10d., small sizes 1/6 to 2/- each; fat young hens 2/- to 2/6 and 2/9 each, others 1/- to 1/6; goslings, fat 8d. to 9d. per lb., alive 2/6 to 3/6 each. Few turkey poults of quality available; none under 8 or 9 lbs. weight should be forwarded. Prime fat young ducks 3/- to 4/- each, seconds 1/6 to 2/6, old ducks 8d. to 1/- each. Rabbits plentiful and selling rather better at the cheaper values, 1/- to 1/2 each, graziers 4d. to 10d. each.

DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG.—Market very firm for farm produce throughout, last week's advanced rates being well stabilised. For Irish creams, however, trade in all directions appears to have become quieter, especially locally, as values are at an awkward level for retailers in competition with certain close-cutting firms, but with leading butter markets cross-Channel tolerably buoyant prices at this side are likely to be maintained in sympathy therewith. Native creams remain plentiful enough, but farmers' butter has become rather scarce. Fine creams 1/7 to 1/7½ per lb., 28lb. packages 1/7½; medium creams 1/6½ to 1/6¾, others around 1/6, factories 1/3½ to 1/4, fine 1/5 per lb.; farmers' fine quality cools and separators 1/3 to 1/4 and 1/4½, second qualities, lumps, etc., 1/1 to 1/2½, inferior 10d. to 1/- per lb. Egg supplies everywhere appear to be still scarce. Country dealers, who recently showed a disposition to clear stocks at the encouraging level of values then current, now display more hesitancy in accepting orders. At the opening last week the market position was about three weeks ahead of the usual season, but just now is only about a week in advance of 1928 position. Selected case arrivals of hen eggs 16/6 to 18/-, extra heavy picked up to 17 or 18 lbs., to count perhaps only 6 or 7 per cent. of arrivals, 18/6 to 19/6 per 120; mediums 15/- to 16/-, others 11/3 to 13/6 per 120. Duck eggs almost nil, and not quotable.

CORK BUTTER.—A firmer tone and prices advancing. Creameries 169/- to 172/- per cwt.

DUBLIN FISH.—Moderate supplies of fish on market, embracing 19 chests lobsters, 225 boxes of mixed takes from two steamers, besides country arrivals, also 20 boxes herrings and 80 of mackerel. Trade fair. Lobsters, firsts 15/- to 20/- per lot, seconds 7/- to 12/-, others 2/- to 4/-; turbot 1/- to 14/-, brill 6d. to 5/- each, best soles 40/- to 52/6 per lot, mediums 15/- to 26/-, slips 5/- to 10/-, half-boxes plaice 40/- to 63/-, white soles 30/- to 40/-, whiting 30/- to 45/-, selected, others from 12/6, hake 35/- to 80/-, codfish 35/- to 60/-; haddocks scarce; pollock 15/- to 20/-, ling 10/- to 20/-, conger eels 17/6 to 20/-, ray 8/- to 14/-, gurnard 4/- to 5/6, herrings 3/- to 10/- and 12/-, mackerel 4/- to 5/- and 6/-.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Good supplies. Steady demand. Soles 22d. to 27d., slips 15d. to 22d., salmon, English 25d. to 32d., Scotch 28d. to 32d. per lb.; live eels 20/- to 28/-, dead 10/- to 20/- per draught; turbot 10/- to 16/-, brill 9/- to 12/-, plaice 6/- to 12/-, halibut 9/- to 12/-, lemon soles 8/- to 11/-, cod 4/- to 6/-, haddocks 2/- to 6/-, whiting 2/- to 4/- per stone.

MANCHESTER DEAD MEAT.—Home-killed beef, best sides 8½d., mutton 1/-, lambs 11d. to 1/-, ewes 7d. to 8d., veal calves 9d. to 1/-; chilled beef, hindquarters 7d. to 8d., forequarters 4½d. to 4¾d.; frozen beef, ox hindquarters, 5d. to 6½d., forequarters 3½d. to 4½d.; mutton, wethers 5½d. to 6½d., ewes 5½d. to 5¾d., lambs 8¾d. to 10½d.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—Consumptive requirements continue small, but prices mostly unaltered. T.L. also Dutch J granulated, spot London sold 25/10½. Shipment parcels dull; Czecho granulated November-December 13/7½ f.o.b. Hamburg. Terminal idle; August sold 13/9½, December sellers 14/3, March sold 14/6. COCOA—Accra F/F November-January quoted 50/6 f.o.b. Terminal dull; October sold 56/-, December 55/6, March quoted 55/3, May 55/-. TEA—Ceylon auctions of 27,952 packages met a brisk demand for all attractive cup qualities at firm to dearer rates; medium fairly steady; common mostly ½d. per lb. down. SPICE—Pepper quiet, and Lampong August-October sold 1/0¼, Muntok ditto 1/7½. Zanzibar cloves August-October quoted 11½d. Pimento August-September 80/- c.i.f. London. JUTE—Market quiet and slightly unsettled; firsts November-December sold £37 17/6 to £38. HEMP—Sellers asked late rates, but buyers responded slowly. African sisal tends dearer, with few offers from the other side; No. 1 f.a.q. August-October £36. COPRA—Market slow; Straits sun-dried November-December to Rotterdam sold £26, and Cebu October-November to London £25 1/3.

RUBBER—Market easier on larger stocks in the East than anticipated, also pressure to sell. Spot and September sheet sold 9½d. to 9 5-16d., October (also November) 9½d., October-December 9½d. to 9 7-16d., January-March 9½d., April-June 9½d., July-September 9½d. OILS—Linseed steadier; spot quoted 28/9, August-September 27/7½, January-April 28/3, May-August 28/9. Rape nominal; crude spot 40/6, refined 42/6. Cotton dull; crude Egyptian spot 32/-, common edible 37/6, deodorised 39/6. Coconut quiet; Ceylon spot drums 42/6, August-September ditto 39/-, Galle 38/6. China wood steady; Hankow spot barrels 74/6, August-September 74/6. Turpentine inactive; American spot 42/-, September-December 43/- per cwt. OILSEEDS—Linseed quiet, but holders adhered to steady asking prices; Calcutta to London August-September sellers £17 12/6, September-October £17 12/6, Plate to Hull August-September £15 3/9, September-October £15 5/-, October-November £15 6/3, November-December £15 7/6, new crop January-February £15 3/9. Rapeseed maintained; Toria to Hull/Continent August-September £18 12/6, September-October £18 13/9. Cottonseed steady; Egyptian black to Hull new crop October (also November) £10 6/3, white ditto £9 16/3, Bombay September-October £9 2/6. Groundnuts quieter and buyers have reduced their limits; Coromandel machined August-September quoted £21 15/-, September-October £21 17/6, new crop November-December £20 17/6, East African August-September £21 7/6. Castorseed quiet; Bombay August-September sellers £17 10/-. Soya beans quiet; Manchurian afloat £11 15/-, September-October £11 16/3, new November-December £11 7/6 per ton.

OILCAKES, etc.—Linseed Cakes—The low price prevailing for wheat is having a sentimental effect on the trade, if nothing more, and both country merchants and farmers are hesitating in the purchase of feeding stuffs, which are without doubt held at relatively extravagant prices compared with the present price of wheat, and although, as is usual at this season of the year, the demand is practically at its lowest ebb, the trade at the present moment is the smallest that has been known for some years past. London-mades remain in extremely limited production, and in consequence crushers are indifferent sellers, with the result that prices remain fairly firm at about last week's quotations of £12 5/- to £12 10/-. Foreign descriptions, however, are obtainable at a slight reduction, and some fine quality 40 p.c. expeller made Bombays may be bought at £11 17/6 ex stocks and £11 15/- ex ship for August-September shipment. Best brands of Calcuttas have changed hands at £11 17/6 to £12, and a recent arrival of Spanish is available at £12 5/- ex warehouse. Cotton Cakes—Some parcels of Egyptian in store offer at £7 17/6 to £8, which, however, meet with very poor response. At the same time a fair quantity for August shipment has been sold at £7 10/- ex ship, and there are sellers for September-December monthly shipments at £7 7/6 ex ship, which are regarded as being held at too high a figure. English makes are without change at £8 to £8 2/6, and Bombays at £7 2/6 to £7 5/-. Groundnut Cakes—Some prime quality extra light-coloured decorticated screw-pressed in store makes £12 to £12 5/-, with lower qualities of 50 p.c. offering at £11 7/6 to £11 10/-. Undecorticated meanwhile is attractively offered for September-October shipment from Rangoon at £9 10/- ex ship. Rice Meal—There is no change in the position of the market. Arrived parcels of Rangoon meet a slow sale at £7 7/6 to £7 10/- ex ship, and shippers to-day ask £7 10/- ex ship for September shipment and £7 15/- for October-December. Offals—Straight-run middlings remain scarce and dear at £9 5/- to £9 10/-, but some small lots of Continental makes are more reasonably quoted at £8 15/- to £9. Bran is without alteration at £7 10/- to £8 10/-, but Plate pollards are, if anything, the turn lower at £7 10/- ex ship for afloat parcels and £7 15/- for winter loading. Maize Foods—Garton's maize gluten feed meets a steady sale at £9 10/- to £9 12/6, and maize germ cake meal at £10 10/-. South African maize meal is only sparingly offered on spot, and a parcel of white meal just arrived is cheaply quoted at £9 10/- ex store, whilst for September-October shipment there are resellers of yellow descriptions at £9 2/6 to £9 5/- ex ship.

LIVERPOOL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE.—A good demand was met for farm produce, which was in plentiful supply, at yesterday's market. Potatoes—Great Scotts 3/6, Majestics 4/3 to 4/6 per cwt.; Wallasey new 2/- per 20lbs. Cabbages 1/- to 1/2, cauliflowers 1/9, cucumbers 3/- to 4/6, beetroots 4d., vegetable marrows 2/6, lettuce (long and round) 1/-, all per dozen; celery 2/6 to 3/- per dozen heads; carrots (washed) 6/-, Swede turnips 3/-, parsnips 12/- per cwt.; bunched carrots 1/- dozen bunches; white turnips 9d. per dozen; garden peas 5/6 to 6/-, broad beans 3/- per 40lbs.; kidney beans 3d. per lb.; Spanish onions 8/- to 9/6 per box of 120lbs.; spring onions 10d to 1/-, radishes 9d., leeks 1/3, parsley 8d., mint 6d. to 8d., sage 8d. to 10d. per dozen bunhes; Wallasey tomatoes 7½d. per lb.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR.—The market continues rather quiet, but there is a moderate business doing in home-refined at steady prices.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON. — American Futures—Market sensitive, but prices improved, especially near the close, on higher New York cables. Sales, 4,000 bales (exports 500). American Futures—Tendency steady. August 9.97d., September 9.87d., October 9.79d., November 9.72d., December 9.72d., January 9.72d., February 9.72d., March 9.75d., April 9.77d., May 9.79d., June 9.78d., July 9.79d. August 9.75d. Egyptian Futures—Tendency steady. Sakels—October 18.00d., November 18.05d., January 18.10d., March 18.25d., May 18.30d., July 18.35d. Upper—November 12.43d., January 12.51d.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.—Prime strong hay continues scarce. Secondary and old meadow descriptions fairly plentiful, and demand good for sound and well-saved qualities. Keen inquiry for choice horse hay at 4/9 to 5/-, secondary classes 4/- to 4/3 and 4/6, best old meadow 3/3 to 3/8 and 3/10, inferior 2/6 to 2/9 and 3/- per cwt. Limited quantity of straw on market; loose loads 3/6 per cwt., baled straw 2/9 to 3/3 per cwt.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN FALLING.

At first change values of TIN further gave way on lower Eastern cables and selling pressure, offerings being moderately absorbed. On balance cash ruled 12/6 to 15/- and forward 5/- per ton. Standard cash quoted £211 17/6 to £212, three months £207 15/- to £208; settlement price £212. 400 tons changed hands, cash at £212, £211, and £212, three months £208, £207 10/-, and £207 15/-; English ingots quoted £210 to £211. Sales in the East amounted to 325 tons at £211 10/- c.i. COPPER quiet, and barely steady, while 1/3 per ton lower on balance. Standard cash quoted £62 7/6 to £62 8/9, three months £62 16/3 to £62 17/6; settlement price £62 7/6. 250 tons sold, cash at £62 7/6, three months £62 17/6; Electros quoted £68 15/- to £69 5/-, wire bars £69 5/-, B.S. £65 to £66 5/-, S.S. £94. LEAD continued active, but slightly irregular. 1,550 tons sold good soft foreign pig August at £21 12/6, September, also October, £21 11/3, November £21 10/-, £21 12/6, and £21 11/3; settlement price £21 12/6; English £23. SPELTER in moderate support, but the market firm on reserved offers. 400 tons sold, August at £24 8/9, September £24 10/-, November £24 11/3, December £24 12/6; settlement price £24 7/6. ANTIMONY—China Regulus spot quoted £38 10/- to £39 per ton. At the second session tin further declined on selling pressure. Sales, 230 tons, cash at £211 12/6 to £211 10/-, three months £208 to £207 15/-. Copper and spelter nominally unaltered. Lead in fair request, and the market fully steady. 200 tons sold good soft foreign pig September £21 12/6 per ton.

GLASGOW IRON AND STEEL.—Trade conditions show no change. Quotations are steady at the following levels:—Ship plates £8 7/6, sections £7 17/6, less 10/- rebate to consumers in schemes; boiler plates 10 guineas; rerolled steel price free, around £7 10/-.

SALE OF 4,500 SHEEP.

Messrs. Craigie Bros. hold the first of their series of autmn sales of sheep in the Cattle Market, Dublin, on Friday next, 24th August, commencing at 12 o'clock, when 4,500 head will be offered. There is a large and representative entry of Galway, Oxford cross, cheviot, crossbred, and blackfaced horny ewes; also Shrop, Suffolk and Oxford rams, as well as several lots of store wethers and lambs. The catalogue includes entries from—The Marquis of Waterford, Vice-Admiral A. Craig Waller, Lieutenant-Colonel C. Hely-Hutchinson, John J. Smyth, G. H. Atkinson, Dr. O'Byrne, L. C. Leybourne, P. J. Leonard, P. King Joyce, E. F. Revington, John Robinson, Richard Lynch, Thomas Jones, W. and P. Sheane, M. Kennedy, M. Farrington, W. Harrington, M. Flannery, M. Prendergast, W. J. Joyce, Frank Cannon, William Fahy, Jer. Casey, Miss Whitmore, George Courtenay, John Bagnall, L. Lawlor, Patrick Maguire, Marcus J. Daly, Ed. O'Shaughnessy, Joseph Diviney, Patrick Naughton, Joseph Doherty, P. J. O'Neill, John Doyle, Charles Kenny, M. Ryan, Joseph Dowdall, William Clarke, M. Byrne, etc.

SHEEP SALE IN CORK.

Messrs. Wm. Marsh and Sons, auctioneers, Cork, opened their annual autumn sheep sale at Copley street, Cork, yesterday. The catalogue embraced an entry of 109 rams, principally Border Leicesters and Shrops, all the principal breeders in the South being represented. The quality of the rams was well above that of last year, and an excellent demand was experienced.

The top price of the sale and first prize were secured by Mr. Timothy O'Sullivan, Cloughduv, Crookstown, for a shearling Border Leicester, which was sold to Lord Kenmare at 26 guineas. Lord Kenmare also gave the second best price of the sale—namely, 22 guineas—for another shearling from the same flock. The average for Mr. O'Sullivan's lot of ten was 16½ guineas.

Mr. D. McAuliffe, Kahaniskey, sent ten choice Leicesters, the top going to Lord Kenmare at 18½ guineas. Second prize was awarded to this flock. Mr. S. E. Williams, Macroom, a new breeder, showed a lot which attracted much attention. The top, which made 16 guineas, went to James Barry, Glencairn, Co. Waterford. Another at 15 guineas went to Mr. Bateman, Ballinphellic, and the rest sold at 13½ guineas and 11 guineas. Mr. R. Smith Barry, Fota Island, sent a draft of 16 Shrops, which realised an average of 8 guineas. Mr. G. Sharp Bolster, Kanturk, had an average of 5 guineas. Mr. F. B. Furney, Sarsfield's Court, Glanmire, sent 15 Border Leicesters, which were keenly bid for, and made from 7½ to 10½ guineas. Mr. Arthur Smith, Ballinrostig, averaged 8 guineas for his consignment of ten Leicesters.

Entries were also listed from Mrs. Kelly, Loughane, Blarney; Mrs. Edmond Cogan, Doneraile; Mr. Stephen Turpin, Glanmire; Mr. T. Hales, Bandon; Ryecourt Estate, Crookstown; and the prices for their lots ranged from 6 to 10 guineas. Lord Kenmare purchased twenty lambs at the sale. Business will be resumed to-day with ewes numbering close on 800.

BATTLE WITH A BULL.

A VICAR'S EXCITING TIME.

The holiday which the Rev. S. Roberts, Vicar of Christ Church, Barnet, is spending at Rinsey, on the Cornish coast, is yielding him a full measure of excitement. A few days ago his wife fell from a rock into the sea, and was rescued by the Vicar, who plunged fully dressed into the water.

Now he has had what he describes as "an interesting experience" with a bull. He was crossing a field carrying some curlews that he had shot when a bull approached.

The Vicar ran at full speed towards the gate, with the bull in pursuit. He failed to arrive before the bull, and, realising that it was charging down upon him, he turned and presented his gun at the animal. He had spent his last cartridge, but he had the presence of mind to throw the dead birds that he was carrying. This distracted the animal's attention, and the Vicar was able to leap to the other side of a ditch, where a heap of stones was lying.

Accurate aiming kept the bull at bay for some time, and at last drove it off. The Vicar scrambled through the ditch, recovered the birds, and hastened to reach the road, which led to home and safety.

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AT 4 BACHELOR'S WALK,
SALE OF EXTENSIVE COLLECTION OF SUPERIOR ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, PIANOS, CARPETS, &c., &c.,

Comprising:—6ft. Walnut Bedroom Suite, with large reflex mirrors to dressing chest; 6ft. Walnut and Burr Bedroom Suite, without washstand; 5ft. Satin Walnut Bedroom Suite, two 4ft. Inlaid Mahogany Bedroom Suites, 4ft. Satin Walnut Bedroom Suite, two 3ft. ditto, 2ft. 6in. Jacobean Oak Bedroom Suite, 6ft. Mahogany Breakfront Wardrobe, 4ft. Mahogany Gent.'s Wardrobe, 4ft. 6in. Jacobean Oak ditto, 2 Antique Mahogany Chests Drawers, 6ft. Mahogany Bookcase, 4ft. 6in. ditto, 4ft. Carved Oak Pedestal Writing Table, 6ft. Mahogany Mirror-back Sideboard, two 6ft. Oak ditto, 6ft. Carved-back Mahogany Sideboard, 12ft. Mahogany Telescope Dining Table, two 8ft. ditto, one 6ft. ditto, 2 Mahogany Sideboards, Chippendale design; 2 Queen Anne ditto, superior 3-piece Chesterfield Settee, upholstered in silk tapestry, practically new, cost £72 10s.; 3-piece ditto in tapestry, two 3-piece Suites in moquette, Gent.'s superior Easy Chair, upholstered in hide, with loose down cushion; Divan Easy Chair, upholstered in green Morocco; 9-piece Diningroom Suite, covered in Morocco leather; 2 Diningroom Suites, covered in saddlebags; 2 handsome Drawingroom Cabinets, Chippendale design; 9-piece Diningroom Suite, covered in crimson velvet; 2 Sets Mahogany Diningroom Chairs in leather, 8 Diningroom Chairs and 2 Arm Chairs in American leather; 2 large Easy Chairs, covered in Rexine; 4ft. Stained Wardrobe, with Dressing Chest to match; Single and Double Mahogany Beds complete, Pair Mahogany Twin Beds, with wire woven and hair mattresses; Chinese Carpet 12ft. x 9ft., cost £65, in perfect order; Oriental and Axminster Carpets in sizes from 16ft. x 12ft. to 10ft. 6in. x 9ft.; superior Cottage Pianos by Pigott and Collard and Collard, Square Piano by Broadwood, Cabinet Gramophone, Oak Hallstand, with Barometer; Oval and Round Mahogany Centre Tables, Drawingroom and Occasional Tables, China and Glass, Blankets, Lace Curtains, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Linoleums, and Quantity of Miscellaneous Household Requisites.

SALE AT 1 O'CLOCK. PIANOS AND CARPETS, 3 O'CLOCK.

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SEPTEMBER 17th, 18th and 19th.
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THURSDAY, 23rd August.
FRIDAY, 24th August.
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ACCity of Valencia	7,329	Sept. 5	Bombay & Karachi
BDCity of Cairo	7,882	Sept. 15	Colombo & Calcutta
BCCity of York	7,844	Sept. 15	Bombay & Karachi
CCity of London	8,956	Sept. 27	Colombo & Calcutta
ACity of Nagpur	10,138	Sept. 27	Bombay & Karachi

Calls (A) Marseilles, (B) Naples, (C) P. Sudan, (D) Madras.

MARSEILLES TO STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN.

City of Eastbourne	5,552	Sept. 2	Singapore, Manila,
City of Athens	6,562	Sept. 29	Hong Kong, Shanghai.

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City of Poona	7,485	Sept. 1	Cape Town, Algoa B.,
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(Signed), JOSEPH G. TRESTON,
Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Dalkey, 18th August, 1928.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.
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NEWMAN THOMPSON, Secretary.

NOTICE.
CURRENCY ACT, 1927.
The Currency Commission hereby gives Notice that it has appointed the Bank of England, Threadneedle street, London, to be the London Agency, pursuant to Section 29 of the Currency Act, 1927.
NEWMAN THOMPSON, Secretary.
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SAORSTAT EIREANN.
Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, made in a Cause,
THE ROYAL BANK OF IRELAND, LIMITED v. JOHN LOFTUS, Record No 1927, 2020. all persons claiming to be Incumbrancers affecting Part of the Premises, No. 34a Winetavern street, in the City of Dublin, known as the shop and two rooms and kitchen, situate in the Parish of St. John and City of Dublin, are, by their Solicitors, to enter their claims at the Central Office, Law Courts, Dublin Castle, on or before the 1st day of October 1928, and they are to prove their claims by the same date, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every claimant holding any security is to produce the same to the Examiner at his Office, Law Courts, Dublin Castle, on the 17th day of October, 1928, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.
Dated this 10th day of August, 1928.
THOS. W. ELLERKER, Examiner.
T. A. W. PUREFOY, Solicitor for Plaintiffs, Royal Bank of Ireland, Ltd., Dublin.

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BUSINESS, BUSINESS PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.

ANDREW street—Three room Suite Offices, second floor, every convenience; £70.—Arthur Jones, 22 Andrew street. 18 D

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